

ROUSING SENDOFF GIVEN TEACHERS

High School Holds Demonstration
as Farewell Also to Harold
Wolcott and William Sexton

JOIN THE AVIATION CORPS

E. B. Thomas, Supt. Scholl, Judge
Will M. Sparks and E. B. Thomas
Speaks—Original Poem Read

Never have the walls of Graham high school rung with more spirited yells and never has greater cause been given for such a demonstration than that this morning, which honored the three high school teachers who have "joined the colors." Songs were sung, yells were given and patriotic addresses were made all in a patriotic fervor that was never equalled in the local school.

W. C. Wiley, science instructor, R. J. Blank, history and athletics instructor left this morning for Fort Thomas, Ky., and R. J. Culphier is awaiting a call. Harold Wolcott and William Sexton, two high school students, enlisted last night in the aviation service and leave this evening also for Fort Thomas.

"We are not glad these teachers are leaving," said E. B. Thomas in a short talk to the high school students at the demonstration, "but we are glad they are showing the spirit of willingness to go when they are needed. That spirit of determination is the thing that is carrying us through this struggle. In this conflict, as in the Civil War, there can be no compromise. There can be only one settlement of it and only one way to accomplish this. These teachers are doing their share in securing liberty."

"The thing that has impressed me most about these young men is that I heard them say they would go any place Uncle Sam wanted them to go, from the trenches on. Men of such calibre as that and who show such a spirit will not have to go 'anywhere.' Rushville should back this high school. We cannot back it too strong. We are proud of the work you are doing," said the Judge in commending the school. He roused the patriotism of the young people as he told of the nobleness of the call which their professors and fellow students had answered.

"There is a heroic as well as tragic side to this struggle," said R. E. Mansfield who made a short talk also, to the young people. "It is with such struggles as this that the conception of our liberty has been made great. The greatest heroes in the world's history are the war heroes," and he continued to dwell upon the value of liberty and the necessity of such conflicts to further it. "When these men return, they will return to a country purged of selfishness and with a reawakened conscience."

"Such things as these are sacrifices, but we must steel ourselves to sacrifice in this war," said Superintendent J. H. Scholl. "In choosing teachers to fill their places, we are endeavoring to choose men who can, like these men, pour out the principles of life to you young people as well as the subjects they are teaching."

The words of "Over There" had a new meaning to the high school pupils when the Boys Glee Club sang them this morning with a fire of patriotism and the high school yells with nine rousing "rahs" for

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TWO DENTISTS NOMINATED

F. R. McClanahan and F. M. Sparks
For Places on Medical Board

Drs. F. R. McClanahan and F. M. Sparks, Rushville dentists, have been nominated as dental members of the Rush county medical board created by the new selective conscription regulations, and their appointment by the provost marshal is assured. The nominations were made by Dr. Joseph Rihus Eastman, medical aid to Governor Goodrich in conscription affairs, assisted by Dr. F. R. Henshaw, dean of the Indiana dental college, Dr. H. C. Kittick, secretary of the state board of dental examiners, and Dr. E. C. Bachfield, member of the state board.

FLYING MAKES WIDE APPEAL TO BOYS HERE

Thirteen Are Either in the Service or
Will Enlist in the Next Few
Days

TWO BOYS ARE NOW IN FRANCE

The aerial section of the United States signal corps is making a wide appeal to young men in Rushville. Thirteen have either enlisted and passed the difficult tests successfully, or intend to enlist.

Floyd French and Earl Gregory are with aero squadrons with the American expeditionary forces and Joe Iltis is in an aero squadron stationed at Fort Sill, Okla. Howard Brecheisen passed the examination at Fort Thomas, Ky., and has been sent on to a training camp at Texas. Robert Humes, who is at Camp Taylor, Ky., has applied for transfer to the aviation section. Stacey Hinkle has been accepted for the service and is at his home here awaiting a call to the colors. James D. Carney and Frank Griffin, who went to Indianapolis last Saturday to take the examination, are reported to have passed. Carl Wright has enlisted and is now at Fort Thomas, Ky. Duane Reed, who was denied admission to the flying section because of his age, went to Indianapolis today to try again, this time having his mother's consent. Jerome Caron also will go to Indianapolis Monday for the physical test and Harold Wolcott and William Sexton leave tonight. Orla Price was at an embarkation port ready to leave for France when he was transferred from an aero squad to another branch of the service.

NEEDS ONLY ONE PER CENT TO REACH QUOTA

Red Cross Here Has 20 Per Cent of
Population And Only 21 Is Re-
quired in Price

NO OTHER WITH SUCH RECORD

(By United Press.)

Newcastle, Ind., Dec. 7.—Rush county has to increase its Red Cross membership only one per cent of its total population—approximately 193—in order to reach its quota in the membership drive which begins December 17 and continues until Christmas eve, according to figures before George Barnard district chairman, here today.

The quota for each county in the district is 21 per cent of its total population. Rush county already has 20 per cent of its population enrolled in the Red Cross so that only one per cent has to be added. Only two other counties in the district have as large a percentage of its population in the Red Cross—Shelby and Hancock, which need five per cent each to reach their quota. In addition to the three counties mentioned, the other six counties in this district are Wayne, Union, Fayette, Henry, Decatur and Franklin.

SUIT DUE TO AUTO ACCIDENT BEGINS

Action Brought by Rosa Bird of
Arlington to Collect \$5,000 Dam-
ages From Hillary Haydon

COLLISION LAST APRIL 26

Special Judge W. A. Hough of
Greenfield to Sit in Perjury
Case Against Curtha Wagoner

The damage suit of Rosa Bird, wife of Thomas P. Bird, an Arlington blacksmith, against Hillary Haydon, a traveling salesman of this city, was begun in circuit court today before a jury. It was not expected the evidence would be concluded in time for the case to reach the jury this afternoon.

The suit is based on an accident about four miles west of the city near ten o'clock the night of April 26 last when machines driven by Mr. Haydon and Mr. Bird collided. Mrs. Bird, who was riding in the front seat with her husband, was thrown out and injured and now walks with the aid of one crutch.

Another suit filed by Mr. Bird against Mr. Haydon, for \$3,000 damages for the loss of his wife's services is pending. The suit beginning today is for damages because of injuries Mrs. Bird sustained.

The collision happened about 300 feet east of a culvert, while the Haydon machine was going east towards Rushville and the other car in the opposite direction. The plaintiff says the accident was due to the negligence of Mr. Haydon, but the defense is that Mr. Haydon was driving when the collision came, 18 inches past the middle of the road on the right side and that he had slowed down to 15 miles an hour to cross the culvert and did not increase his speed because he saw the Bird machine coming.

The jury hearing the case is composed of Ben L. McFarlan, J. J. Morrison, J. M. Stiers, C. W. Hinkle, Lewis J. Cline, Charles Davis, W. S. Mercer, G. M. Cline, Omer Greenwood, J. H. Tarplee, Mike McDonald and Chas. Peek.

The court heard the case of A. M. Newhouse and son against G. P. McCarty to foreclose a garage lien for \$100, yesterday afternoon after the jury returned a verdict in the Bottorff case and took it under advisement.

William A. Hough, a Greenfield

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EXPLOSION DEATH TOLL GROWS TODAY

Estimates of Dead Range Between
500 and 1,500 as Progress is
Made in Relief Work

COLD ADDS TO SUFFERING

Many Bodies Incinerated in Burning
Ruins—Crew Abandoned The
French Munition Ship

(By United Press.)

Halifax, N. S., Dec. 7.—Estimates of the number of dead and injured as a result of the explosion following the collision of the French munition ship, Mont Blanc and the Belgian relief ship Imo continued growing today. Some progress is being made in the relief work. The estimates range from 500 to 2,000 as dead or missing. Many of the missing may be found as soon as normal conditions are restored. The loss of property mounted far into the millions.

The escape of the crews if the two ships, which collided was explained today. After the crash, due to a mistake in the signal, the munition steamer was in flames and explosion was certain, so they rowed to the shore and took to their heels. The boat floated on toward Halifax and exploded.

The bitter cold added to the suffering of the homeless victims. The present plan is to bury all of the unidentified in one long grave like the trench graves on the battle fields. Temporary morgues have been established.

Thirty-five bodies have been found in one section of a ruined hospital. Dartmouth death lists are believed to be between 80 and 100. Boys of the citizens committee this afternoon declared the total of all dead might be reduced to \$1,500.

North Halifax is a vast funeral pyre. Many bodies are incinerated in the burning ruins of this city of desolation and woe. Snow is mantling with a cloak of white great areas where the flames have swept, hiding unknown horrors. Hospitals are crowded with moaning wounded. The dead lie in ghastly rank. A bitter wind is sweeping through shattered windows of ruined homes.

An equal number of seriously injured are being cared for amid scenes that beggar description. Here and there about smoking ruins of what had been their homes men and women scantily dressed clawed at the wreckage to find lost relatives.

SUPPLIES ARE RECEIVED

Clerk is Ready to Issue Licenses
Under Explosives Act

George Moore, Jr., clerk of the circuit court who has been appointed explosives licensing agent under a federal law, today received his supplies and is now ready to license all who come within the scope of the act. Several persons in Rush county will be required to take out licenses. All vendors, dealers, manufacturers, purchasers, foremen, exporters, importers and analysts of explosives come under the jurisdiction of the act.

The law is operated by the U. S. bureau of mines.

ANOTHER RUSHVILLE BOY IS IN FRANCE

Sidney E. Robb, 28th Infantry Bat-
talion, Announces Arrival in
Letter Received by Parents

WRITTEN BEFORE LANDING

Mr. and Mrs. George Robb, 1021 North Arthur street, today received a letter from their son, Sidney E. Robb, 28th Infantry Battalion, American Expeditionary Forces, which was the first information they had he was in France.

He says they left the shores of America the first of some month, but the name of the month was scratched out by the censor, as was also the number of days they were crossing. He says he was seasick a couple of day going over, and that the weather was cloudy and cool. The letter was written aboard ship just before the troops landed and young Robb was unable to give his address. He says that the troops all feel fine and were glad to see land again when the shores of France loomed up. Young Robb says he writes his parents to let them know he is still living "and hope to do my part to end this war with Germany."

Young Robb enlisted in the regular army at Cincinnati last June and after a few months training at Fort Thomas was transferred to Fort Harrison. Today's letter was the first word received by his parents since early in November when he said he was leaving Fort Harrison for parts unknown.

CONSIDERS A CALL FROM TOPEKA CHURCH

Dr. D. Ira Lambert to Spend Sun-
day With Kansas Congregation
After Many Solicitations

DOESN'T FEEL HE'LL ACCEPT

Dr. D. Ira Lambert, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, left this morning for Topeka, Kansas to consider earnest solicitations from one of the strongest churches in Kansas. He has received a number of telegrams and letters urging him to consider acceptance of the charge, but he stated last evening that he did not feel at this time that he wanted to accept the offer. He has declined even to consider the charge a few times, but after being urged repeatedly, Dr. Lambert declared that he believed courtesy required that he be with the congregation on Sunday. Dr. Lambert will complete his third year here this year. He came here from Cincinnati.

Dr. M. A. Kelsey of Richmond will preach at the First Presbyterian church Sunday morning at 10:30 o'clock, in the absence of Dr. Lambert, on the subject, "The Present Crisis in Bible Lands." He is the state secretary of the Armenian and Syrian relief and is familiar with it. There will be no services in the evening.

WAR BREAD TO BE IN VOGUE MONDAY

Every Baker Will be Licensed and
Will Make Bread by Set For-
mula Prescribed in Rules

PRICE IS EXPECTED TO DROP

Some May Not Like New Loaf, But
it Will Not be Like Common
Conception of War Bread

On Monday Rush county will literally get "a taste of the war," for at that time every baker will be licensed and will make bread by a set formula prescribed by the food administration. He must produce a standard loaf, the size and character of which has been determined by the food administration.

It means that the price of bread will drop, although how much cannot yet be determined. The state food administrator will meet with the master bakers and with the retail distributors in an effort to fix a price.

The new war bread will be a much better food than the war bread of Europe. But it will contain less shortening, less milk, and less sugar than the present loaf. It will not be as sweet and it will not be as light. A definite quantity of shortening sugar and milk will be determined by the food administration for every barrel of flour that goes into bread. Some of the bakers assert that the public will not like the bread, but it will not be like the common conception of war bread.

Warnings against wastefulness, resale, buying or selling for price manipulation; prohibiting the acceptance of unsold returns; fixing weights after baking; limiting ingredients; encouraging sales direct from wholesalers to consumers and recommending less frequent deliveries are included in the principal points for bakers who must operate under federal license issued by the federal food administration, December 10 and after. The elimination of waste by prohibiting the return of unsold bread is an established practice in Indiana, as a result of the campaign of the Indiana State Council of Defense, months ago. The Council is distributing some of the rules and regulations of the bakers asks the same co-operation that marked the former campaign, which was highly successful.

The licensee, in selling bakery products shall keep such products moving to the consumer in as direct a line as practicable and without unreasonable delay. Resales within the same trade without reasonable justification, especially if tending to result in a higher market price to the retailer or consumer, will be dealt with as an unfair practice.

The licensee shall not buy, contract for, sell store, or otherwise handle or deal in any food-commodities for the purpose of unreasonably increasing the price or restricting the supply of such commodities.

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No Family Is Safe From The White Plague

(By E. B. Thomas, Chairman Rush
County Chapter of Red Cross)

No family is safe from invasion of the great "White Plague." The proceeds of the sale of Red Cross seals



constitute the most effective agency in the war against the malady. Each seal is a winged messenger of hope—a token of certain conquest. We must prepare to care for the increased number, stricken with this disease that may come back to us from the ranks of our soldiers. The need is great. The sale of seals should be large.



To Prevent Old Age Coming Too Soon!

"Toxic poisons in the blood are thrown out by the kidneys. The kidneys act as filters for such poisons. If we wish to prevent old age coming too soon and increase our chances for a long life, we should drink plenty of pure water and take a little Anuric," says the famous Dr. Pierce of Buffalo, N. Y.

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Days Pickings

William M. DeMoss has filed suit in the circuit court against Henry Turner on an account, demanding \$100.

Carl Wright of Connersville formerly of this city has enlisted in the Aviation Corps and will be stationed at Ft. Thomas, Ky.

A letter has been received here from Claud Maxwell, colored, familiarly known as "Alabam." He has recently joined the army and is now stationed at Camp Logan, Houston, Texas. He is a member of Company L, 8th Illinois Infantry. He wishes to be remembered to all of his friends in this city.

T. H. Reed and son have received the bill for two car loads of coal from the federal fuel administration and expect to receive the coal within a couple of days time. Although in the elevator business, Reed & son, because they are equipped to handle coal, agreed to take four cars from the fuel administration to help relieve the local shortage.

Alonzo Alpha, 25 years old, employed on the T. K. Mull farm, half a mile south of Manilla, lost the middle finger of his right hand in a cutting box accident yesterday afternoon, the accident occurring while he was operating the machine in preparing some feed for cattle. The hand was badly mangled, but only the middle finger was amputated.

A dispatch from Camp Shelby, Miss., today says that Captain John H. Kiplinger, commander of Headquarters company, 139th Field Artillery, who has gone to Fort Sill, Okla., to receive instructions in the school of fire, will not rejoin his company until shortly before it moves abroad. Mrs. Kiplinger and two sons, who have been living at Hattiesburg, Miss., are expected home by Sunday.

BRITISH LINES ADVANCE

(By United Press.)
London, Dec. 6.—The British line southwest of Lavaqueris were advanced slightly today, according to reports from Field Marshal Haig. The statement announced another withdrawal of British troops from a small salient in the neighborhood of Bourlon wood.

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J. W. McFALL TALKS TONIGHT

Connersville Pastor Speaks at Win-my-Chum Week Services

The Rev. J. W. McFall of Connersville will speak at the service of Win-my-Chum week at the Methodist church this evening beginning at 7:30 o'clock. There will be a musical program, including a violin solo by J. C. Reddick, piano duet by the Misses Scull of Milroy, and quartette by the Misses Giffin and Wooden, O. P. Wamsley and Virgil Taylor. Every one is invited to attend the meeting. All of the services of the week have been marked successes. Last evening Dr. Bacon of Connersville gave an inspiring talk. Miss Gladys Bebout gave a fine reading, Jess Stevens played a beautiful clarinet solo and there was a selection by a quartette composed of the Misses Giffin and Wooden, C. S. Black and Veri Bebout.

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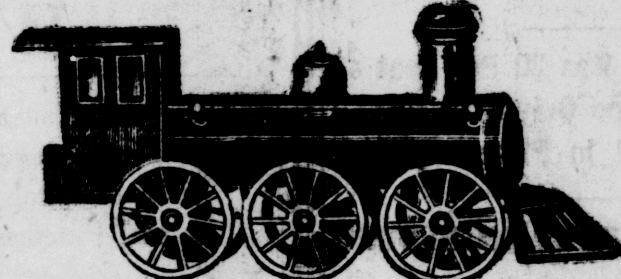


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—A. B. Irvin transacted business in Indianapolis today.

—O. E. Humes transacted business in Indianapolis today.

—Mr. and Mrs. James Dill were visitors in Indianapolis today.

—Dr. Lampton of Milroy visited here today enroute to Indianapolis.

—Miss Audria Otto went to Indianapolis this morning to spend the day.

—Miss Grazella Pulver of Kansas City was here today on business.

—T. S. Bishop and daughter, Laverne, were visitors in Indianapolis today.

—Mr. and Mrs. Scott of Andersonville went to Indianapolis this morning.

—Mrs. Pearce and Miss Rue Whitton went to Indianapolis this morning for a short visit.

—Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Ball went to Indianapolis today where Mr. Ball will attend the Shriner's meeting this evening.

—Mrs. Vern Moore and Mrs. Wm. Myers went to Indianapolis this morning for a visit of several days with relatives.

—Mr. and Mrs. William Ruddle of Columbus, Kansas, spent the day yesterday with Will Taylor of East Third street.

—Miss Lillian Winter of Decorah, Iowa, now teaching in Palestine, Ill., will be the guest of Miss Frances Frazee over the week-end.

—Lieut. Raymond Ross of Crawfordville who is home from France on a furlough will spend the week-end in this city with friends.

—Seigle Vaughn returned to Newcastle after visiting relatives in this county. He has enlisted in the Aviation Corps and will leave for Texas immediately.

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SENATE PASSES WAR RESOLUTION

(By United Press.)

Washington, Dec. 7.—The senate this afternoon unanimously passed the resolution declaring a state of war against Austria-Hungary.

With the senate's approval of the resolution it was certain that the house late this afternoon would take the same action.

Senator LaFollette, absented himself when the roll call was begun. The vote followed stirring speeches by Senators Stone, Hitchcock and Lodge.

Senator Hitchcock said his objection to a declaration against Austria had been cleared away by President Wilson's stand assuring Austria free access to the Adriatic.

2,000 GERMANS PERISH

(By United Press.)

With the British Armies in France, Dec. 7.—At least 2,000 Germans perished in two violent and fruitless attempts to break British lines around Vial wood today.

Twenty-five separate divisions have been identified as composing the enemy forces in this sector—indicating the Germans have at least 375,000 men massed there.

WAR BREAD TO BE IN VOGUE MONDAY

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or of monopolizing, or attempting to monopolize, either locally or generally, any of such commodities.

The licensee shall not destroy any bakery products and shall not knowingly commit waste, or willfully permit preventable deteriorating in connection with the manufacture, distribution, or sale of any bakery products.

The licensee shall not accept returns of bread or other bakery products, nor make cash payments, nor allow credit to any retailer for any unsold bread or other unsold bakery products, nor shall the licensee exchange any bread or bakery products for other bread or bakery products which he has sold.

SUIT DUE TO AUTO ACCIDENT BEGINS TODAY

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attorney, has been agreed on by the state and defense to hear the case of Curtha Wagner, accused in a grand jury indictment of perjury, on Monday. Wagner was denied a change of venue and then filed an affidavit for a change of judge, which was granted. A special venire from which to draw the jury has been ordered.

ATTEND SHRINERS MEETING

A number of local Masons went to Indianapolis this morning for the meeting of the Shriner's being held in the Masonic Temple this afternoon and evening and more will go during the day. Those going this morning were Willard Amos, Ferd Retherford, Charles Lamberson, Albert Winship, Elmer Caldwell, Ephraim Ball, Ed Lowden, G. P. Hunt, Frank Buell, Vern Norris and E. R. Casady.

TO SWEAR IN RECRUITS

Major W. E. Stalnaker of the Second Indiana Artillery will be here tomorrow afternoon and swear in the men who have enlisted in the platoon being organized here by Byron Cowing as a part of the Second Indiana. He will be at the court house in the sheriff's office. Enlistments are continuing today and physical examinations being made.

BICKHART SUES CITY

C. J. Bickhart filed mandamus proceedings in circuit court late this afternoon to compel the city to provide water at his residence. The city has refused to because he would not pay a bill presented by the city. It was large because of a leak for which the city says it is not responsible.

—T. W. Betker spent the day in Indianapolis.

—Dr. Carl Beher, Harry Wyatt and Will McMillin are in Indianapolis for the Shriner's meeting this evening.

—Among those who will attend the basketball game in Milroy this evening will be Miss Lois Reeve, Miss Marjorie Thomas, Miss Dorothy Mulno and John K. Tompkins and Clay Carmichael.

It Pays to Buy the Best

But every housewife should remember that the best is not *always* the highest priced. Experience has taught me that you can't always judge quality by the cost sign.

That is particularly true of baking powder. Baking powder quality can be determined only by bake day results. The baking powder that serves you best—regardless of what you pay—is the best to buy and use.

I have made a close study and careful investigation of baking powder, because it is unquestionably one of the most important of baking materials. It effects all ingredients employed with it.

No woman, no matter how careful her selection of flour, sugar, eggs, etc., can employ the limit of baking economy if she uses a poorly made, wasteful baking powder.

Merit, not money, is the only safe basis upon which to estimate the worth of a baking powder. Fortunately the housewife no longer has to conduct costly experiments of her own to determine just which particular brand is the most efficient and economical. Experts like myself, make a business of testing baking powders and accurately arriving at their actual value. We make no mistakes in our decisions as our experiments are made along strictly scientific lines.

Millions of women are now profiting by the aid offered by domestic scientists. I know this to be true—as choice is now centered on the brand of baking powder that I and other domestic scientists have found superior through both chemical and oven tests. It is becoming more popular every day. Its tremendous sales increase was not influenced in the least by cost. It is a moderate priced baking powder. Costs considerably less than some other brands. Still it is preferred by women who could and would pay more were it possible to secure the desired quality. They don't buy this brand of baking powder because of a saving of cost—but because of its demonstrated superiority. To them it means the greatest quality value—the greatest purity—and greatest certainty of results that can be had at any price. Decidedly the best, not because of moderate price, but because of its unimprovable merit.

In justice to those who read this article—that they may share in the savings and baking success assured by the biggest selling and recognized superior baking powder it is no more than fair that I give publicity to the brand preferred alike by experts and America's millions of housewives—*Calumet Baking Powder*.

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NOTICE OF ELECTION

There will be an election held by the shareholders of the Rushville National Bank at their banking house at Rushville, Indiana, on TUESDAY, JANUARY 8th, 1918, between the hours of 10 o'clock, a.

m. and 4 o'clock p. m. for the purpose of electing directors for said bank, to serve the ensuing year. 229t2 WILBUR STIERS, cashier.

12 photos make 12 presents that are appreciated. Sit now. Wallace photographer. 229t3

A warm welcome awaits you at the Methodist church tonight. 229t1

Fatigue Nearly Overcomes Woman

"Bringing up several children in the right way and cares of a home brought me to the verge of nervous prostration," says, a well known woman. "Fearing that I might become ill and have to give up housework and the care of my little ones, created an nightmare that was ever before me. I happened to mention my affliction to one of my neighbors and she advised me to procure some Phosphated Iron. A day or two later when I was feeling unusually miserable I sent my daughter to the drug store for a box of the capsules and after ten days' treatment I felt like a different person altogether. I sleep well at night, something I hadn't done in months before; my appetite is good and in fact what formerly seemed like mountains of work in my home is now more like play. An aunt of mine living over East has been taking Phosphated Iron with equally gratifying results."

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The Housewives Firing Line

How the American housewife, like the soldiers at the front, may help win the war on her own firing line in the kitchen by saving coal, is explained in a number of general precepts that have just been issued by the Bureau of Mines, Department of the Interior, and which ought to be tacked up in every home at least for the period of the war.

The Bureau of Mines gives the following military orders to the housewives:

Careless use of coal in kitchen very wasteful. Only a small part of the heat in the fuel may thus be usefully employed. Be sure the heat is doing what you want it to do rather than needlessly heating the chimney.

Buy coal mined as near home as possible, even if it requires a little more trouble, and learn to use it. This will lighten the load on transportation systems.

Buy a full wagon-load if you can. This saves labor and cost of delivery.

Be sure the smoke passages in the stove are clean. Keep them clean. If the scraper made for the purpose is lost, get another.

Reduce the hours of running the stove as much as possible.

Fireless cookers may help reduce the time of keeping a fire.

Running the range to heat tank water only is not economical. Be sparing of hot water in such cases.

Break the lumps of coal to sizes no larger than eggs.

When the stove must run some hours a full fire-box carefully controlled by dampers is more economical than fires so small that the grate is only partly covered.

With a big fire little air is needed over the coal as well as through it. If soft coal is used, allow just enough air to come through the damper over the first to make the flames so short they will not reach the second row of stove-lids.

Close the top draft damper when the flames get shorter than the first row of stove lids.

When it is necessary to carry a fire over night, fill the fire-box with coal, cover over tightly with ashes and close all dampers. To start the fire, open the damper below the grate and the one in the stove pipe. Break up the coke in the firebox with a poker, rattling the ash into the ash box.

Save what coal and coke you can from the ashes and use when you have a good fire.

When the fire is well started, close the damper in the smoke pipe as much as you can to maintain the fire you need. Open this damper to prevent smoking while putting in fresh coal. Damper control is the secret of economical heating.

When your boy sets his face toward France it won't be the foe in front that he will fear, but the enemy in his rear.

Vegetarians now have the opportunity of their lives to test the accuracy of their theory.

Keep your eye peeled for the price-boosting hog. He isn't dead, but sleepeth.

ROUSING SENDOFF IS GIVEN TEACHERS

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"Blank," "Wiley," "Cullipher," "Sexton" and "Wolcott" were given with a new feeling and spirit as the young people put the enthusiasm for the young men who are leaving into the spirit of their yelling. C. E. Parke accompanied the Glee Club and John Norris lead the yelling.

"You boys are good sports," said Mr. Blank who answered for the teachers who are going away and the boys of the basketball teams stood up, "you have been good sports the year through and I know you will continue to be." He complimented the young men for their conduct through the year and wished them success. There was scarcely a dry eye in the assembly when the Girl's Glee Club finished singing "Keep the Home Fires Burning." The teachers leaving were presented with cases containing army conveniences by the teachers of the school. The basketball boys accompanied Mr. Blank to the train when he left this morning.

An original poem by Harold Perkins was read by Miss Blanche Baine honoring Mr. Blank and Mr. Wiley. The poem follows:

There Will Be Two Vacant Chairs

We read in the papers of war and its crime

We listened to stories of war and its pranks

But they never affected us up to this time

But now, two teachers have joined the ranks.

We've heard how the trenches give them a cough;

We've heard how they suffer from the tanks;

We've heard how the Belgians had their ears cut off;

And now two teachers have joined the ranks.

They frequently go without food for days:—

We know how the boches consider us Yanks

To shoot us, they'd go clear out of their ways,

And still, two teachers have joined the ranks.

Their work, these teachers gave up, in the school.

They drew all their money out of the banks,

They're going to fight in this war for you,

For they enlisted, last night, in the ranks.

One of these brave ones, taught science, Mr. Wiley,

The other bold one, taught history, Mr. Blank,

Today, their faces are both "sorta" smil-ey

Because, last night, they joined the ranks.

Extend to them then, our sincere wishes

And of the best, we hope, they'll fare

And may the Almighty guide and protect them

And keep them always under His care.

Today as they leave us, let us all wish them luck
And cheer them for doing this noble deed.
In the day to come, may they be most successful
But now we can only wish them, "God-speed."

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3. Always carry a deep or high fire in mild weather; leave from four to six inches of ashes on the grates; this lessens the draft through the fire and causes a slower fuel consumption. Don't shake or poke the fire too much—just enough to make room for the adding of enough fresh coal to keep fire going.
4. When putting on several shovels of coal in banking a fire for the night, leave a part of the fire exposed so that any gases from the coal will be consumed.
5. Before feeding a furnace see that the shut-off damper in the pipe is open and close the check damper.
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HIGH SCHOOL GIRLS FORM WAR RELIEF ORGANIZATION

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distributed and the knitted articles be returned to a committee appointed for this purpose. The soldier boys, too, will receive boxes of food and barrels of fruit from the high school girls. A committee of girls, most of them from the country, who may find apples, nuts or other country produce that could be sent to the boys, has been appointed to take charge of this phase of the work.

Letters will be written to lonesome soldiers. Another committee will procure names of the lonely "Sam-mies" and see to it that they receive interesting letters frequently. Magazines may be turned in to another committee that will see they are stamped and sent to the front. The young men from the high school who have joined "The First Hundred Thousand," and will earn ten dollars for the Y. M. C. A. fund will be aided by another group of girls who will seek employment and report to the boys who want it to earn their pledge. For the soldiers who are sick and are in hospitals at the front, another group of girls will find entertainment for them in interesting books, puzzles and other things that may be contributed by the girls.

Conservation is not forgotten in the plans. The only definite plan made now for this work is that a box will be put in the corridors of the schools for all students to drop tin foil into, which will be sold for the cause. Every other form of conservation will be suggested by the committee. The finance committee will see to it that funds are ready for all of these calls, to get postage for magazines and other things that are needed. The publicity committee will see to it that the organization gets the proper notice, although their work will speak for itself.

Members of the committees mentioned are as follows, with the first named girl acting as chairman of the committee: sewing, Kathryn Guffin, Loretta Talkington, Lettie Jordan, Lucile Roth, Edna Krammes; knitting, Libby Schatz, Cordelia Brown, Lena Vaughn, Vivian Elliott, Magdaline Arbuckle; food committee, Rena Offutt, Marjorie Hunt, Aileen Green, Marjorie Tittsworth, Marie Looney; correspondence, Helen Osborn, Gladys Leyden, Marjorie Thomas, Josephine Junkin, Kathryn Wooden; magazine, Laverne Davis, Frances Bunnell, Bertha Haywood, Margaret Ball, Norma Headlee; employment, Gladys Bebout, Mildred Oneal, Ruby Sparks, Gladys Chadwick, Florence Fleebart; amusement, Helen Dugan, Lois

Reeve, Kathryn Wyatt, Lora Spurrier, Lavienna Compton; publicity, Mary Ellen Hughes, Dorothy Easley, Loretta Coyne, Margaret Cooning, Vivian Bebout; conservation, Margaret Mahin, Marian Carney, Lillian Priest, Marguerite Kelly; finance, Frances Lyons, Norma Geraghty, Stella Offutt, Mary Louise Miller, Frances Bowen.

—The services for the St. Paul's Methodist Episcopal church for Sunday are: Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. The pastor, the Rev. Clyde S. Black will administer the Sacrament of the Lord's supper at 10:30. Epworth League at 6:00 p. m. at which time there will be a reception for the new members. Evening service at 7:00 with the theme of the sermon, "The Best Religion." Prayer meeting Thursday evening at 7:30. Everyone is cordially invited to worship in all of the services of the church.

—Services at the First Presbyterian church Sunday will be as follows: "Quiet Hour," 7 a. m. Bible school, 9:30; Divine worship, 10:30 with sermon by Dr. M. A. Kelsey of Richmond, secretary of Indiana Armenian and Syrian relief on the subject, "The Present Crisis in Bible Lands." There will be no evening service on account of the absence of the pastor, Dr. D. Ira Lambert.

—First Baptist church, C. J. Bunnell pastor, residence 612 North Morgan street, phone 1911: Sunday school, 9:30; public worship 10:45 a. m. and 7:00 p. m.; subject for the morning sermon, "The Value of God's Word;" theme for the evening sermon "A Days Journey." The mid-week prayer service will be held on Thursday evening. The general public is invited to all services.

—The Sunday services at the United Presbyterian church are: Sunday school at 9:30; preaching at 10:45; Young People's meeting at 6:40 and evening service at 7:00. Congregational prayer meeting, Thursday evening at 7:30.

—The services for the United Presbyterian church at Glenwood, are Sunday school at 1:30 and preaching at 2:15.

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The Christian Woman's Board of Missions held its regular meeting yesterday afternoon in the parlors of the Christian church with about sixty-five members in attendance. The intensely interesting program which was carried out was: Bible Study, Mrs. Isom Stevens: "Africa—The Continent; The People," Mrs. John Gartin; Music, Mrs. Carl Behr and Hidden Answers, Mrs. Will Abercrombie. Light refreshments were served as a conclusion to the meeting.

Mrs. Bert Mullin was hostess to twenty-five members of the Emanon club and a number of guests yesterday afternoon at her home in North Perkins street. After the pleasant hours spent with knitting, a salad course was served. This was the last meeting of the year and the first meeting after the holidays will be held with Mrs. Walter Pearce.

Miss Cora Winship entertained about fourteen members of the Friday Afternoon Embroidery club yesterday afternoon at her home in East Fifth street. The delightful hours were whiled away over knitt-

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ing, and a salad course was served by the hostess. Miss Mary Amos will be hostess to the club in three weeks.

The eight members of the Thursday Afternoon Bridge club and one guest were entertained by Mrs. Ben Humes yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. O. E. Hume in North Harrison street. The hostess served dainty refreshments. Miss Helen Scudder will entertain the club next Thursday afternoon.

Miss Alice Norris entertained a number of ladies this afternoon at her home in North Harrison street, with a knitting party complimentary to Mrs. Siddle Mowers, who will

You'll like it. What? The meeting at the Methodist church tonight, 22911.

leave soon to spend the winter in the south. A tempting luncheon was served by the hostess.

The ladies of the Catholic Aid society were entertained yesterday afternoon by Mrs. Thomas Kirk at her home in West Third street, when the assistant hostess was Mrs. John Keating. A business session was held in the fore part of the afternoon and then the guests were entertained with euchre. Mrs. William Fitzgerald and Mrs. Lote Carter, winning the pretty prizes. Refreshments were served by the hostesses.

All of the members but one of the Priscilla Art club and five guests, Mrs. Russell Baker of Raleigh, Miss Beulah Lucas of Ouray, Okla., Mrs. Walther of Glenwood, Miss Bertha Baker of Raleigh and Miss Kiser of Gings were entertained by Miss Doris Saxon yesterday at her home in Falmouth. The affair was in the form of a pitch-in dinner. Pretty shades of chrysanthemums brightened the home for the occasion. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Chester Saxon of Falmouth in two

Miss Leota Mull entertained seventeen members of the Always Present class of the Christian church at her home in West Second street last evening. The girls discussed plans for making money and several other business matters were brought up for decision. Dainty refreshments were served by the hostess.

Miss Kathryn Guffin goes to Crawfordsville this evening where she will attend a houseparty at the Beta Theta Pi house as the guest of Alfred Norris. He will accompany her home tomorrow evening.

The Ladies Musicales will be held in the assembly room of the court house, Monday afternoon, with Mrs. Joe Clark and Mrs. Ralph Miles as leaders.

RED CROSS NOTES

A desk is badly needed at the Red Cross headquarters. A roll top desk or any kind that could be used in a business office would answer the purpose. Every other call for needed supplies in the headquarters has been answered promptly and it is hoped that someone who has a desk not in use will loan one temporarily to the women. Sewing machines and everything else that have been needed have been gladly loaned and any man having a desk can aid the Red Cross in a practical way by loaning it at this time.

It is thought that about \$57 will be cleared from the Red Cross Benefit concert given on Wednesday evening by Miss Rosemary Pfaff. About \$93 was taken in and the expenses will be practically \$36. All over this will go into the treasury of the Red Cross Society.

Amusements

The love of Evelyn Nesbit, former wife of Harry K. Thaw whose murder trial attracted the attention of the whole country, is the theme running through "Redemption," the picture which will be shown at the Princess theater tonight and in which Evelyn Nesbit herself will appear. The film tells the story of this woman's life with unrelenting truthfulness. Ruth King and Jack Gardner will appear in "Open Places," tomorrow night and there will also be a comedy, "Footlights and Fakers."

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FOR SALE—275 gallons house paint at \$1.10 per gallon, five desirable shades, good quality. Will divide. Address, H. W. L. Box 68 Rushville. 229t2

FOR SALE—have your 1918 auto license properly filled out. Ready now. Louis Hiner, at the Daily Republican. 229t2

FOR SALE—dining table, sideboard and china closet—combined. Good feather bed; book cases and writing desk; call mornings, 324 N. Perkins. Phone 1609. 228t2

FOR SALE—used sewing machines. A number of machines taken in trade on the Singer; various makes and models; prices from \$5.00 up. Terms as low as \$1.00 a week. L. E. Gung at Abercrombie Jewelry Store. 228t12

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FOR SALE—Buff Orpington cockrels. Mrs. Robert Holt, Route 8. 226t5

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LOST—auto robe between North George and postoffice. Raymond Sharp. 229t4

ASKS POWER TO PROBE RAILROADS

Interstate Commerce Commission Would Investigate Their Political Activities—Annual Report

16,000 MILES BUILT IN 5 YEARS

Best Record is Made in Years—Few Wrecks Due to Neglect in Heeding Signals

(By United Press.)

Washington, Dec. 7.—Additional power to investigate the political activities of railroads is asked by the Interstate Commerce Commission in its annual report, submitted to Congress today.

A recent decision of the supreme court permits it to demand the exact details of "legal expenses" "operating expenditures at direction of the president" and similar accounting terms which often cover campaign contributions, lobbying funds, etc.

The commission seeks now the right of access to the complete correspondence files of all railroads. Congressional action is necessary. With these powers, it is understood, the commission intends a thorough searching of alleged scandals. One—that of the Louisville & Nashville—has been announced. Other recommendations are:

All steel passenger trains. Safety and operating rules of all railroads to be standardized.

Supervision against watering of railroad stock.

Laws prohibiting trespass of roads' right of way.

Suggestions that the Interstate Commerce Commission become sole regulating body in the country, taking over the powers of 48 state separate state commissions, is met with a counter-proposal of cooperation.

"Transportation conditions have been abnormal" said the commission, "but the essential needs of the country have been taken care of."

"Owing to the demand on car and locomotive plants for war work, it is impossible for them to do much more than replace equipment worn out in service in the United States. It is apparent the solution of the war problem lies in the maximum of service from those already existing."

The commission estimates its work of learning the actual physical values of roads will be finished by 1920. This task has been undertaken at the behest of government ownership advocates who wish to use the figures as a basis of payment to the railroads. No other reference to government ownership, direct or indirect, was made.

The country, the report declared, was fortunate to enter the war in spring. Had the tremendous volume of added traffic come in the fall or winter season, congested seasons at best, preparations would have been delayed far more than they were.

Due to increased inspection, it is declared the railroads "have greatly improved" their accounting methods, so that "any unwholesome finance, artificial returns or rate manipulations" are more difficult to accomplish.

Only 16,000 miles of new road have been built in the last five years. Freight rates have been reduced from \$.0075 a ton-mile in the same period to \$.0071.

In 54 collisions and 26 derailments, 175 were killed and 327 were injured—the best record in recent years. A great majority of the collisions occurred on roads not protected by the block system. Eight were due to failure of engineers to heed signals.

County News

Union Township

Mr. and Mrs. Albert McConnell and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Bert Benson and family and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wycoff and family of Indianapolis Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Richardson and family of Cambridge City and Miss Carrie Morris spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Leslie K. Morris.

Mr. and Mrs. Joel Carson, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Eskew, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Foster and the Rev. Mr. Kanneur were entertained Sun-

INDIANA MEN AT RESERVE MEETING

Work Which the State Council of Defense Undertakes Among Boys Proves Success

SESSIONS HELD IN CHICAGO

(By United Press.)

Indianapolis, Ind. Dec. 7.—A score of Indiana men were in Chicago today attending the National Boy's Working reserve. The work, which was undertaken in Indiana by the States Council of Defense, has met with great success in the state.

The following men were appointed to represent Indiana at the meeting: I. D. Strauss, C. E. Fritsome, A. K. Babcock, George A. Ball, S. O. Betzer, L. B. Clore, J. G. Collicott, Joseph M. Cravens, William P. Hapgood, Fred Munting, Clarence Kessinger, Sol Kiser, W. H. Latta, Rev. George MacIntosh, Martin Morrison, Mr. Horace Ellis, E. E. Stacey, Dr. Carl Stolz, Frank Wilson, William A. Wirt, G. I. Christie and E. U. Graff.

day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Eskew.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Baker, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Elwell, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Logan, Mr. and Mrs. Burl Hinchman and Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Vickery were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Martin and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Logan and son William spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. George Billings and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Bell and family of Indianapolis spent a few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Joseph M. Bell and Mrs. Mary Nixon.

Merrill Wilson, Harry Kirkham and Parker Willey and the Misses Jennie Henry, Hazel Wilson and Helen Wilson were the guests of Miss Leila Wilson Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Clifton and daughter and Lenna and Byron Benson took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. William Bell and family Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. George Ertel were also guests in the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Price of Rushville, and William Price and son Jerold of Connersville spent Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. William Foley and family.

Mrs. H. S. Bell is sick with an attack of lagrippe.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wiley spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Chester Hall. The Young People's Married class met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Gordon, last Saturday evening. The evening was spent with music and a contest was introduced, with Mrs. Roy Wiley as winner. A supper consisting of sandwiches, pickles, salad, escalloped oysters and coffee was served. The class will meet again in two weeks with Mr. and Mrs. George Billings. Mr. and Mrs. Orville Brooks were among the guests.

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Third Great War Story in

The Indianapolis Sunday Star, Dec. 9th

The famous author of "Over the Top" tells how he and another American taught the Tommies to play baseball. They started a game with the Canadians and then—but you will have to read it.

OTHER GREAT WAR FEATURES IN THE SUNDAY STAR WILL BE:

An article on the work of the American balloon observers by a captain of the aviation corps.

Edward S. VanZile, now in Europe for The Star, writes on "The World Game of 'I Spy'."

James B. Morrow tells how Hoover is working to bring down high prices of food.

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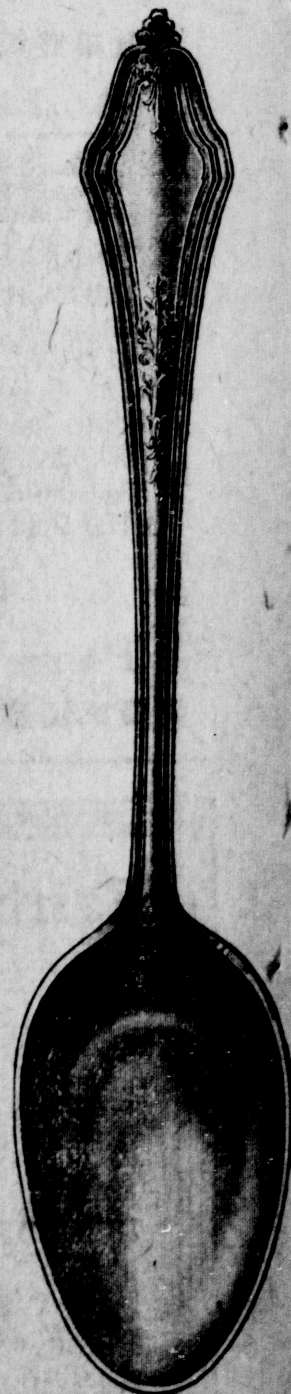
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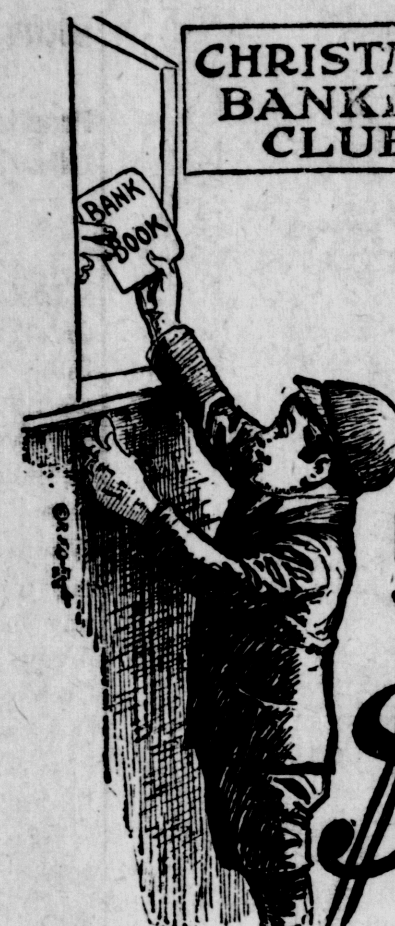
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Corsets	Perfumes	Children's Dresses
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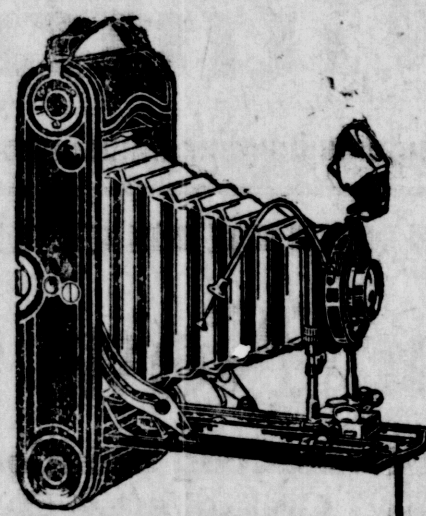
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Jewelry Christmas

Gold is the standard metal of our country which keeps gold at the same market price. Therefore you can purchase gold jewelry at practically the same price.

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For that soldier boy, nothing holds the memories of mother, sweetheart or friends as a gold ring or wrist watch or anything in the jewelry line and there is not a more perpetual keepsake than good jewelry.

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Here's a Rich Man's Car At a Prudent Man's Price

MANY MILLIONAIRES—using that much abused word in the popular sense—are seen driving this Reo model.

BUT THAT DOESN'T INDICATE that it is within the reach of only the rich.

ON THE CONTRARY the price is well within the reach of any professional or business man; who prefers, on most occasions, to hold the wheel himself.

IT SEATS FOUR comfortably. The driver's seat is placed several inches in advance of the main passenger's seat—the latter accommodates two liberally, luxuriously.

THIS ARRANGEMENT makes this an ideal Coupe or Roadster, from the standpoint of the owner-driver. He has elbow room. His movements are not hampered, nor his vision obscured in any direction.

FOR EMERGENCIES when there are four in the party, the extra one finds the auxiliary seat is the most comfortable in the car. This, when not in use, folds unobtrusively under the cowl.

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THE SWEET RUNNING silent, Reo Six motor runs month in and month out with never a moment's attention from the owner—just oil and gasoline and water.

BEING REO MADE it goes without saying that the upkeep is low; and the dependability is absolute, almost.

TOP IS DEMOUNTABLE—That is to say, you may, if you choose, remove the solid roof and replace with an ordinary cloth top.

BUT YOU'LL FIND that the better way is to use it just as shown all the year 'round. Or, if you prefer, remove the glass panels and store away during the sultry summer season and replace when cold weather comes again.

THAT GIVES YOU an open roadster with protecting top for summer and a cozy coupe for cold weather.

PRICE IS \$1585 and freight from the Reo factory, Lansing, Mich.

YOUR ORDER should be in at once, however, as the supply wasn't nearly sufficient to fill the demand last year and indications are that the shortage will be still greater in proportion this fall.

THE BUSSARD GARAGE
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Reo Motor Car Company, Lansing, Mich.
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THE GOLD STANDARD
OF VALUES

TO MARK CREEL'S FIRST APPEARANCE

Indiana War Conference Next Week
Will Be Addressed By The Federal News Censor

MANY FROM HERE ARE GOING

Practically Every War Activity Will
Be Represented—Vice-President
to Speak

Indianapolis, Ind., Dec. 5.—Geo. Creel, chairman of the Committee on Public Information, who will be one of the stellar attractions at the state-wide war conference in Indianapolis December 13 and 14, is believed to be closer to President Woodrow Wilson in matters pertaining to the war with Germany than any other man available for an address here on this occasion. Mr. Creel was associated with President Wilson's pre-election campaign and has been personally intimate with the chief executive for years.

In addition to the personal message that Mr. Creel will probably bring from the white house, the Indianapolis address will be distinctive for the reason that this will be his first public appearance since the voluntary censorship of news reports from the fighting front and from the allies have become effective. It is believed that newspapers from all over the United States will focus their attention on what he says here, as the first official declaration of policy that will obtain for the period of the war.

The Creel reception will include a luncheon to which every editor in the state is invited, short talks by George Ade, chairman of the Indiana State Council of Defense's publicity committee; Edgar A. Guest, of the Detroit Free Press; Henry B. Wilson, President of the Democratic State Editorial Association; and Republican State Editorial Association.

The mass meeting on the afternoon of December 13 will be featured by addresses by Bishop Chas. D. Williams, of Detroit, who has just returned from a special trip to the French front for the Red Cross, Lieutenant Paul Perigord, of the French army, a very entertaining speaker who is on leave due to wounds.

Definite announcement as to the principal speaker at the night mass meeting in Tomlinson hall, December 13, was expected late today from Washington, where efforts have been made to secure a member of President Wilson's war cabinet, in addition to a representative of the Council of National Defence, vice-president Marshall will speak the night of December 13, it was announced today.

Many persons from this county will attend the war conference. An effort is being made by the County Council of Defense to have every war activity in the county represented. All people who feel they can be urged to go, whether or not they have been identified with any war movement.

JAMES BORDERS INDICTED

Gwynneville Man is Arrested For
Shooting Neighbor, Will Bogue

James Borders of Gwynneville was arrested yesterday on an indictment returned by the Shelby county grand jury charging shooting with intent to kill William Bogue, a neighbor. Mystery surrounds the shooting of Bogue. It occurred early one morning a few weeks ago, as Bogue was leaving his home in Gwynneville. He has been at liberty on \$1,000 bond since the shooting. Bogue is still in a serious condition and is said not to be out of danger.

Fresh bulk oysters, 80c a quart.
Home made mince meat, 15c pound.
2 bunches celery, 5c. Neutzenhelzer
Grocery. 22913.

Your friends can buy anything
but your photograph. Sit now. Wallace,
photographer. 22816.

Remember the exchange at Kra-
mers meat market, Saturday, held
by the United Presbyterian women.
22911.

SLACKERS ARE CAUGHT BY NEW DRAFT RULES

Men Who Failed to Register Will be
Placed at Top of First Incre-
ment For Call

MORE STRINGENT THAN BEFORE

With the first enforcement of the new draft rules, effective December 15, men convicted of failure to register on June 5, last, will be dealt with more severely than under the old system.

Provost Marshal General Crowder has announced that such men, instead of being given jail sentences, as has been done before, in many cases, will be so listed by the local

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People Notice It. Drive Them Off
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Olive Tablets

A pimply face will not embarrass you much longer if you get a package of Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets. The skin should begin to clear after you have taken the tablets a few nights.

Cleanse the blood, the bowels and the liver with Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets, the successful substitute for calomel; there's never any sickness or pain after taking them.

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets do that which calomel does, and just as effectively, but their action is gentle and safe instead of severe and irritating.

No one who takes Olive Tablets is ever cursed with "a dark brown taste," a bad breath, a dull, listless, "no good" feeling, constipation, torpid liver, bad disposition or pimply face.

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets are a purely vegetable compound mixed with olive oil; you will know them by their olive color.

Dr. Edwards spent years among patients afflicted with liver and bowel complaints, and Olive Tablets are the immensely effective result.

Take one or two nightly for a week. See how much better you feel and look. 10c and 25c per box. All druggists.

selection boards as to insure their call with the first increment summoned after the new rules are put in force.

Local boards are instructed to send the registration cards of these convicted men to the state adjutant general for serial number assignment, but to place them at the top of the first increment liable for call. Thus they forfeit all chances of the master list rotation, except where physical conditions under the terms of the law require exemption. Men now under suspended sentence for failing to register also will be listed at the top of the first call.

WANT ADS BRING RESULTS

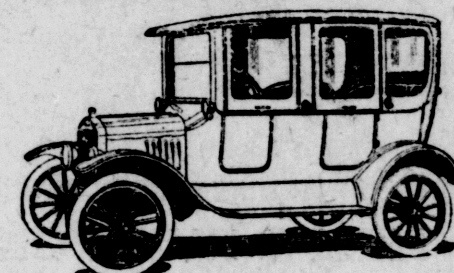
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Spasmodic croup is usually relieved with one application of—
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They are designed to afford motoring comfort in Winter as well as Fall and Summer.

They transform your Ford in a few brief seconds to a warm—absolutely storm-tight from windshield to rear window—brilliantly lighted limousine.

For the Ford driver who has considered winter driving a hardship rather than a pleasure, this patented all-weather top will be most acceptable as it eliminates instantly all his former hardships.

No bothersome side curtains to adjust in the biting cold or blinding snowstorms. The weatherproof top becomes an integral part of your Ford at a very reasonable cost.

Price Complete — \$87.50

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The Dexter Double Tub

Cuts Washing
Time
In Two



It does the washing, wringing and rinsing by power—all at the same time. No time lost in waiting. The clothes get their first washing in the warm suds of tub No. 1—then right into the hot suds of tub No. 2 for their second washing, are next wrung into the rinse tub on the folding shelf—then wrung into the bluing tub and finally into the clothes basket.

Come and let us explain the many exclusive features to you fully.

Gunn Haydon

Our New Cash-Carry Plan

Owing to the food situation we are going to change our plan of doing business. On and after Dec. 10, 1917, our terms will be

**STRICTLY CASH
AND
NO DELIVERY**

We feel that with the elimination of our delivery system and selling for STRICTLY CASH we can give the public a much better price on food stuff.

The Government has requested the utmost efforts on our part toward reducing the cost of delivering merchandise. Your patriotism, we know, will encourage your co-operation in assisting us to comply with the request. You will agree that every store operating a delivery system of any kind is an extra expense which the public pays.

"IT PAYS TO CARRY IT HOME"

This co-operation will help greatly toward a saving and will result in lower price to you, as our method of selling goods is based entirely on the cost of merchandise, plus expense and reasonable profit. Therefore we say

The Lower the Expense—the Lower the Cost to You!

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For a small deposit we will hold any article in stock until
Saturday Night, December 22

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NO PLATED OR FILLED RINGS IN STOCK

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ROUSING SENDOFF GIVEN TEACHERS

High School Holds Demonstration as Farewell Also to Harold Wolcott and William Sexton

JOIN THE AVIATION CORPS

E. B. Thomas, Supt. Scholl, Judge Will M. Sparks and E. B. Thomas Speaks—Original Poem Read

Never have the walls of Graham high school rung with more spirited yells and never has greater cause been given for such a demonstration than that this morning, which honored the three high school teachers who have "joined the colors." Songs were sung, yells were given and patriotic addresses were made all in a patriotic fervor that was never equalled in the local school.

W. C. Wilky, science instructor, R. J. Blank, history and athletics instructor left this morning for Fort Thomas, Ky., and R. J. Culphier is awaiting a call. Harold Wolcott and William Sexton, two high school students, enlisted last night in the aviation service and leave this evening also for Fort Thomas.

"We are not glad these teachers are leaving," said E. B. Thomas in a short talk to the high school students at the demonstration, "but we are glad they are showing the spirit of willingness to go when they are needed. That spirit of determination is the thing that is carrying us through this struggle. In this conflict, as in the Civil War, there can be no compromise. There can be only one settlement of it and only one way to accomplish this. These teachers are doing their share in securing liberty."

"The thing that has impressed me most about these young men is that I heard them say they would go any place Uncle Sam wanted them to go, from the trenches on. Men of such calibre as that and who show such a spirit will not have to go 'anywhere.' Rushville should back this high school. We cannot back it too strong. We are proud of the work you are doing," said the Judge in commending the school. He roused the patriotism of the young people as he told of the nobleness of the call which their professors and fellow students had answered.

"There is a heroic as well as tragic side to this struggle," said R. E. Mansfield who made a short talk also to the young people. "It is with such struggles as this that the conception of our liberty has been made great. The greatest heroes in the world's history are the war heroes," and he continued to dwell upon the value of liberty and the necessity of such conflicts to further it. "When these men return, they will return to a country purged of selfishness and with a reawakened conscience."

"Such things as these are sacrifices, but we must steel ourselves to sacrifice in this war," said Superintendent J. H. Scholl. "In choosing teachers to fill their places, we are endeavoring to choose men who can, like these men, pour out the principles of life to you young people as well as the subjects they are teaching."

The words of "Over There" had a new meaning to the high school pupils when the Boys Glee Club sang them this morning with a fire of patriotism and the high school yells with nine rousing "rahs" for

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TWO DENTISTS NOMINATED

F. R. McClanahan and F. M. Sparks For Places on Medical Board

Drs. F. R. McClanahan and F. M. Sparks, Rushville dentists, have been nominated as dental members of the Rush county medical board created by the new selective conscription regulations, and their appointment by the provost marshal is assured. The nominations were made by Dr. Joseph Hines Eastman, medical aid to Governor Goodrich in conscription affairs, assisted by Dr. F. R. Henshaw, dean of the Indiana dental college, Dr. H. C. Kittick, secretary of the state board of dental examiners, and Dr. E. C. Bachfield, member of the state board.

FLYING MAKES WIDE APPEAL TO BOYS HERE

Thirteen Are Either in the Service or Will Enlist in the Next Few Days

TWO BOYS ARE NOW IN FRANCE

The aerial section of the United States signal corps is making a wide appeal to young men in Rushville. Thirteen have either enlisted and passed the difficult tests successfully, or intend to enlist.

Floyd French and Earl Gregory are with aero squadrons with the American expeditionary forces and Joe Hilt is in an aero squadron stationed at Fort Sill, Okla. Howard Brecheisen passed the examination at Fort Thomas, Ky., and has been sent on to a training camp at Texas. Robert Humes, who is at Camp Taylor, Ky., has applied for transfer to the aviation section. Stacey Hinkle has been accepted for the service and is at his home here awaiting a call to the colors. James D. Carney and Frank Griffin, who went to Indianapolis last Saturday to take the examination, are reported to have passed. Carl Wright has enlisted and is now at Fort Thomas, Ky. Duane Reed, who was denied admission to the flying section because of his age, went to Indianapolis today to try again, this time having his mother's consent. Jerome Caron also will go to Indianapolis Monday for the physical test and Harold Wolcott and William Sexton leave tonight. Orla Price was at an embarkation port ready to leave for France when he was transferred from an aero squad to another branch of the service.

NEEDS ONLY ONE PER CENT TO REACH QUOTA

Red Cross Here Has 20 Per Cent of Population And Only 21 Is Required in Price

NO OTHER WITH SUCH RECORD

(By United Press.)

Newcastle, Ind., Dec. 7.—Rush county has to increase its Red Cross membership only one per cent of its total population—approximately 193—in order to reach its quota in the membership drive which begins December 17 and continues until Christmas eve, according to figures before George Barnard district chairman, here today.

The quota for each county in the district is 21 per cent of its total population. Rush county already has 20 per cent of its population enrolled in the Red Cross so that only one per cent has to be added. Only two other counties in the district have as large a percentage of its population in the Red Cross—Shelby and Hancock, which need five per cent each to reach their quota. In addition to the three counties mentioned, the other six counties in this district are Wayne, Union, Fayette, Henry, Decatur and Franklin.

SUIT DUE TO AUTO ACCIDENT BEGINS

Action Brought by Rosa Bird of Arlington to Collect \$5,000 Damages From Hillary Haydon

COLLISION LAST APRIL 26

Special Judge W. A. Hough of Greenfield to Sit in Perjury Case Against Curtha Wagoner

The damage suit of Rosa Bird, wife of Thomas P. Bird, an Arlington blacksmith, against Hillary Haydon, a traveling salesman of this city, was begun in circuit court today before a jury. It was not expected the evidence would be concluded in time for the case to reach the jury this afternoon.

The suit is based on an accident about four miles west of the city near ten o'clock the night of April 26 last when machines driven by Mr. Haydon and Mr. Bird collided. Mrs. Bird, who was riding in the front seat with her husband, was thrown out and injured and now walks with the aid of one crutch.

Another suit filed by Mr. Bird against Mr. Haydon, for \$3,000 damages for the loss of his wife's services is pending. The suit beginning today is for damages because of injuries Mrs. Bird sustained.

The collision happened about 300 feet east of a culvert, while the Haydon machine was going east towards Rushville and the other car in the opposite direction. The plaintiff says the accident was due to the negligence of Mr. Haydon, but the defense is that Mr. Haydon was driving when the collision came, 18 inches past the middle of the road on the right side and that he had slowed down to 15 miles an hour to cross the culvert and did not increase his speed because he saw the Bird machine coming.

The jury hearing the case is composed of Ben L. McFarlan, J. J. Morrison, J. M. Stiers, C. W. Hinkle, Lewis J. Cline, Charles Davis, W. S. Mercer, G. M. Cline, Omer Greenwood, J. H. Tanglep, Mike McDonald and Chas. Peek.

The court heard the case of A. M. Newhouse and son against G. P. McCarty to foreclose a garage lien for \$100, yesterday afternoon after the jury returned a verdict in the Bottorff case and took it under advisement.

William A. Hough, a Greenfield

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EXPLOSION DEATH TOLL GROWS TODAY

Estimates of Dead Range Between 500 and 1,500 as Progress is Made in Relief Work

COLD ADDS TO SUFFERING

Many Bodies Incinerated in Burning Ruins—Crew Abandoned The French Munition Ship

(By United Press.)

Halifax, N. S., Dec. 7.—Estimates of the number of dead and injured as a result of the explosion following the collision of the French munition ship, Mont Blanc and the Belgian relief ship Imo continued growing today. Some progress is being made in the relief work. The estimates range from 500 to 2,000 as dead or missing. Many of the missing may be found as soon as normal conditions are restored. The loss of property mounted far into the millions.

The escape of the crews if the two ships, which collided was explained today. After the crash, due to a mistake in the signal, the munition steamer was in flames and explosion was certain, so they rowed to the shore and took to their heels. The boat floated on toward Halifax and exploded.

The bitter cold added to the suffering of the homeless victims. The present plan is to bury all of the unidentified in one long grave like the trench graves on the battle fields. Temporary morgues have been established.

Thirty-five bodies have been found in one section of a ruined hospital. Dartmouth death lists are believed to be between 80 and 100. Boys of the citizens committee this afternoon declared the total of all dead might be reduced to \$1,500.

North Halifax is a vast funeral pyre. Many bodies are incinerated in the burning ruins of this city of desolation and woe. Snow is mantling with a cloak of white great areas where the flames have swept, hiding unknown horrors. Hospitals are crowded with moaning wounded. The dead lie in ghastly rank. A bitter wind is sweeping through shattered windows of ruined homes.

An equal number of seriously injured are being cared for amid scenes that beggar description. Here and there about smoking ruins of what had been their homes men and women scantily dressed clawed at the wreckage to find lost relatives.

SUPPLIES ARE RECEIVED

Clerk is Ready to Issue Licenses Under Explosives Act

George Moore, Jr., clerk of the circuit court who has been appointed explosives licensing agent under a federal law, today received his supplies and is now ready to license all who come within the scope of the act. Several persons in Rush county will be required to take out licenses. All vendors, dealers, manufacturers, purchasers, foremen, exporters, importers and analysts of explosives come under the jurisdiction of the act.

The law is operated by the U. S. bureau of mines.

ANOTHER RUSHVILLE BOY IS IN FRANCE

Sidney E. Robb, 28th Infantry Battalion, Announces Arrival in Letter Received by Parents

WRITTEN BEFORE LANDING

Mr. and Mrs. George Robb, 1021 North Arthur street, today received a letter from their son, Sidney E. Robb, 28th Infantry Battalion, American Expeditionary Forces, which was the first information they had he was in France.

He says they left the shores of America the first of some month, but the name of the month was scratched out by the censor, as was also the number of days they were crossing. He says he was seasick a couple of days going over, and that the weather was cloudy and cool. The letter was written aboard ship just before the troops landed and young Robb was unable to give his address. He says that the troops all feel fine and were glad to see land again when the shores of France loomed up. Young Robb says he writes his parents to let them know he is still living "and hope to do my part to end this war with Germany."

Young Robb enlisted in the regular army at Cincinnati last June and after a few months training at Fort Thomas was transferred to Fort Harrison. Today's letter was the first word received by his parents since early in November when he said he was leaving Fort Harrison for parts unknown.

CONSIDERS A CALL FROM TOPEKA CHURCH

Dr. D. Ira Lambert to Spend Sunday With Kansas Congregation After Many Solicitations

DOESN'T FEEL HE'LL ACCEPT

Dr. D. Ira Lambert, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, left this morning for Topeka, Kansas to consider earnest solicitations from one of the strongest churches in Kansas. He has received a number of telegrams and letters urging him to consider acceptance of the charge, but he stated last evening that he did not feel at this time that he wanted to accept the offer. He has declined even to consider the charge a few times, but after being urged repeatedly, Dr. Lambert declared that he believed courtesy required that he be with the congregation on Sunday. Dr. Lambert will complete his third year here this year. He came here from Cincinnati.

Dr. M. A. Kelsay of Richmond will preach at the First Presbyterian church Sunday morning at 10:30 o'clock, in the absence of Dr. Lambert, on the subject, "The Present Crisis in Bible Lands." He is the state secretary of the Armenian and Syrian relief and is familiar with it. There will be no services in the evening.

WAR BREAD TO BE IN VOGUE MONDAY

Every Baker Will be Licensed and Will Make Bread by Set Formula Prescribed in Rules

PRICE IS EXPECTED TO DROP

Some May Not Like New Loaf, But it Will Not Be Like Common Conception of War Bread

On Monday Rush county will literally get "a taste of the war," for at that time every baker will be licensed and will make bread by a set formula prescribed by the food administration. He must produce a standard loaf, the size and character of which has been determined by the food administration.

It means that the price of bread will drop, although how much cannot yet be determined. The state food administrator will meet with the master bakers and with the retail distributors in an effort to fix a price.

The new war bread will be a much better food than the war bread of Europe. But it will contain less shortening, less milk, and less sugar than the present loaf. It will not be as sweet and it will not be as light. A definite quantity of shortening sugar and milk will be determined by the food administration for every barrel of flour that goes into bread. Some of the bakers assert that the public will not like the bread, but it will not be like the common conception of war bread.

Warnings against wastefulness, resales, buying or selling for price manipulation; prohibiting the acceptance of unsold returns; fixing weights after baking; limiting ingredients; encouraging sales direct from wholesalers to consumers and recommending less frequent deliveries are included in the principal points for bakers who must operate under federal license issued by the federal food administration, December 10 and after. The elimination of waste by prohibiting the return of unsold bread is an established practice in Indiana, as a result of the campaign of the Indiana State Council of Defense, months ago. The Council is distributing some of the rules and regulations of the bakers asks the same co-operation that marked the former campaign, which was highly successful.

The licensee, in selling bakery products shall keep such products moving to the consumer in as direct a line as practicable and without unreasonable delay. Resales within the same trade, without reasonable justification, especially if tending to result in a higher market price to the retailer or consumer, will be dealt with as an unfair practice.

The licensee shall not buy, contract for, sell store, or otherwise handle or deal in any food-commodities for the purpose of unreasonably increasing the price or restricting the supply of such commodities.

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No Family Is Safe From The White Plague

(By E. B. Thomas, Chairman Rush County Chapter of Red Cross)

No family is safe from invasion of the great "White Plague." The proceeds of the sale of Red Cross seals constitute the most effective agency in the war against the malady. Each seal is a winged messenger of hope—a token of certain conquest. We must prepare to care for the increased number, stricken with this disease that may come back to us from the ranks of our soldiers. The need is great. The sale of seals should be large.



To Prevent Old Age Coming Too Soon!

"Toxic poisons in the blood are thrown out by the kidneys. The kidneys act as filters for such poisons. If we wish to prevent old age coming too soon and increase our chances for a long life, we should drink plenty of pure water, and take a little Anuric," says the famous Dr. Pierce of Buffalo, N. Y.

When suffering from backache, frequent or scanty urine, rheumatic pains here or there, or that constant tired, worn-out feeling, the simple way to overcome these disorders is merely to obtain Anuric (double strength) from your nearest druggist and you will quickly notice the grand results. You will find it many times more potent than lithia, and that it dissolves uric acid almost as fast as water does sugar.

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Days Pickings

William M. DeMoss has filed suit in the circuit court against Henry Turner on an account, demanding \$100.

Carl Wright of Connersville formerly of this city has enlisted in the Aviation Corps and will be stationed at Ft. Thomas, Ky.

A letter has been received here from Claud Maxwell, colored, familiarly known as "Alabam." He has recently joined the army and is now stationed at Camp Logan, Houston, Texas. He is a member of Company L, 8th Illinois Infantry. He wishes to be remembered to all of his friends in this city.

T. H. Reed and son have received the bill for two car loads of coal from the federal fuel administration and expect to receive the coal within a couple of days time. Although in the elevator business, Reed & son, because they are equipped to handle coal, agreed to take four cars from the fuel administration to help relieve the local shortage.

Alonzo Alpha, 25 years old, employed on the T. K. Mull farm, half a mile south of Manilla, lost the middle finger of his right hand in a cutting box accident yesterday afternoon, the accident occurring while he was operating the machine in preparing some feed for cattle. The hand was badly mangled, but only the middle finger was amputated.

A dispatch from Camp Shelby, Miss., today says that Captain John H. Kiplinger, commander of Headquarters company, 139th Field Artillery, who has gone to Fort Sill, Okla., to receive instructions in the school of fire, will not rejoin his company until shortly before it moves abroad. Mrs. Kiplinger and two sons, who have been living at Hattiesburg, Miss., are expected home by Sunday.

BRITISH LINES ADVANCE

London, Dec. 6.—The British line southwest of Lavacqueris were advanced slightly today, according to reports from Field Marshal Haig. The statement announced another withdrawal of British troops from a small salient in the neighborhood of Bourlon wood.

You can't afford to miss the meeting at the Methodist church tonight 22911.

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9:00	4:37
9:45	5:22
10:30	6:07
11:15	6:52
12:00	7:37
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J. W. McFALL TALKS TONIGHT

Connersville Pastor Speaks at Win-my-Chum Week Services

The Rev. J. W. McFall of Connersville will speak at the service of Win-my-Chum week at the Methodist church this evening beginning at 7:30 o'clock. There will be a musical program, including a violin solo by J. C. Reddick, piano duet by the Misses Scull of Milroy, and quartette by the Misses Giffin and Wooden, O. P. Wamsley and Virgil Taylor. Every one is invited to attend the meeting. All of the services of the week have been marked successes. Last evening Dr. Bacon of Connersville gave an inspiring talk. Miss Gladys Bebout gave a fine reading, Jess Stevens played a beautiful clarinet solo and there was a selection by a quartette composed of the Misses Giffin and Wooden, C. S. Black and Veri Bebout.

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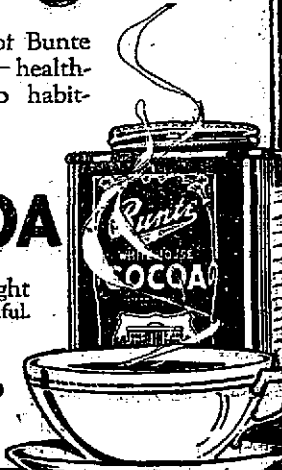
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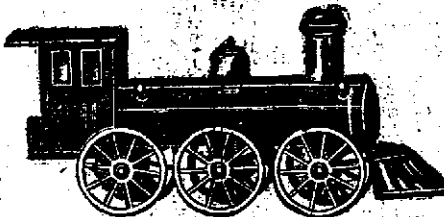


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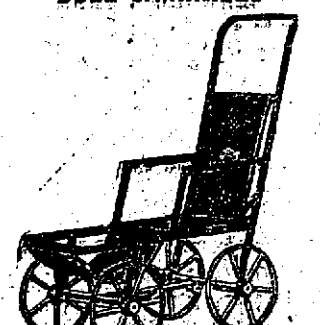
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—A. B. Irvin transacted business in Indianapolis today.
—O. E. Humes transacted business in Indianapolis today.
—Mr. and Mrs. James Dill were visitors in Indianapolis today.
—Dr. Lampton of Milroy visited here today enroute to Indianapolis.
—Miss Audria Otto went to Indianapolis this morning to spend the day.
—Miss Grazella Puliver of Kansas City was here today on business.
—T. S. Bishop and daughter, Laverne, were visitors in Indianapolis today.
—Mr. and Mrs. Scott of Andersonville went to Indianapolis this morning.
—Mrs. Pearce and Miss Rue Whitton went to Indianapolis this morning for a short visit.
—Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Ball went to Indianapolis today where Mr. Ball will attend the Shriner's meeting this evening.
—Mrs. Vern Moore and Mrs. Wm. Myers went to Indianapolis this morning for a visit of several days with relatives.
—Mr. and Mrs. William Ruddle of Columbus, Kansas, spent the day yesterday with Will Taylor of East Third street.
—Miss Lillian Winter of Decorah, Iowa, now teaching in Palestine, Ill., will be the guest of Miss Frances Frazee over the week-end.
—Lieut. Raymond Ross of Crawfordville who is home from France on a furlough will spend the week-end in this city with friends.
—Seigle Vaughn returned to Newcastle after visiting relatives in this county. He has enlisted in the Aviation Corps and will leave for Texas immediately.

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SENATE PASSES WAR RESOLUTION

(By United Press.)

Washington, Dec. 7.—The senate this afternoon unanimously passed the resolution declaring a state of war against Austria-Hungary.

With the senate's approval of the resolution it was certain that the house late this afternoon would take the same action.

Senator LaFollette, absented himself when the roll call was begun. The vote followed stirring speeches by Senators Stone, Hitchcock and Lodge.

Senator Hitchcock said his objection to a declaration against Austria had been cleared away by President Wilson's stand assuring Austria free access to the Adriatic.

2,000 GERMANS PERISH

(By United Press.)

With the British Armies in France, Dec. 7.—At least 2,000 Germans perished in two violent and fruitless attempts to break British lines around Vial wood today.

Twenty-five separate divisions have been identified as composing the enemy forces in this sector—indicating the Germans have at least 375,000 men massed there.

WAR BREAD TO BE IN VOGUE MONDAY

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or of monopolizing, or attempting to monopolize, either locally or generally, any of such commodities.

The licensee shall not destroy any bakery products and shall not knowingly commit waste, or willfully permit preventable deteriorating in connection with the manufacture, distribution, or sale of any bakery products.

The licensee shall not accept returns of bread or other bakery products, nor make cash payments, nor allow credit to any retailer for any unsold bread or other unsold bakery products, nor shall the licensee exchange any bread or bakery products for other bread or bakery products which he has sold.

SUIT DUE TO AUTO ACCIDENT BEGINS TODAY

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attorney, has been agreed on by the state and defense to hear the case of Curtha Wagner, accused in a grand jury indictment of perjury, on Monday. Wagner was denied a change of venue and then filed an affidavit for a change of judge, which was granted. A special venire from which to draw the jury has been ordered.

ATTEND SHRINERS MEETING

A number of local Masons went to Indianapolis this morning for the meeting of the Shriner's being held in the Masonic Temple this afternoon and evening and more will go during the day. Those going this morning were Willard Amos, Ferd Retherford, Charles Lamberson, Albert Winship, Elmer Caldwell, Ephraim Ball, Ed Lowden, G. P. Hunt, Frank Buell, Vern Norris and E. R. Casady.

TO SWEAR IN RECRUITS

Major W. E. Stalnaker of the Second Indiana Artillery will be here tomorrow afternoon and swear in the men who have enlisted in the phatoon being organized here by Byron Cowing as a part of the Second Indiana. He will be at the court house in the sheriff's office. Enlistments are continuing today and physical examinations being made.

BICKHART SUES CITY

C. J. Bickhart filed mandamus proceedings in circuit court late this afternoon to compel the city to provide water at his residence. The city has refused to because he would not pay a bill presented by the city. It was large because of a leak for which the city says it is not responsible.

—T. W. Betker spent the day in Indianapolis.

—Dr. Carl Beber, Harry Wyatt and Will McMillin are in Indianapolis for the Shriner's meeting this evening.

—Among those who will attend the basketball game in Milroy this evening will be Miss Lois Reeve, Miss Marjorie Thomas, Miss Dorothy Mulno and John K. Tompkins and Clay Carmichael.

It Pays to Buy the Best

But every housewife should remember that the best is not *always* the highest priced. Experience has taught me that you can't always judge quality by the cost sign.

That is particularly true of baking powder. Baking powder quality can be determined only by bake day results. The baking powder that *shows* you best—regardless of what you pay—is the best to buy and use.

I have made a close study and careful investigation of baking powder, because it is unquestionably one of the most important of baking materials. It effects all ingredients employed with it.

No woman, no matter how careful her selection of flour, sugar, eggs, etc., can employ the limit of baking economy if she uses a poorly made, wasteful baking powder.

Merit, not money, is the only safe basis upon which to estimate the worth of a baking powder. Fortunately the housewife no longer has to conduct costly experiments of her own to determine just which particular brand is the most efficient and economical. Experts like myself, make a business of testing baking powders and accurately arriving at their actual value. We make no mistakes in our decisions as our experiments are made along strictly scientific lines.

Millions of women are now profiting by the aid offered by domestic scientists. I know this to be true—as choice is now centered on the brand of baking powder that I and other domestic scientists have found superior through both chemical and oven tests. It is becoming more popular every day. Its tremendous sales increase was not influenced in the least by cost. It is a moderate priced baking powder. Costs considerably less than some other brands. Still it is preferred by women who could and would pay more were it possible to secure the desired quality. They don't buy this brand of baking powder because of a saving of cost—but because of its *demonstrated* superiority. To them it means the greatest quality value—the greatest purity—and greatest certainty of results that can be had at any price. Decidedly the best, not because of moderate price, but because of its unimprovable merit.

In justice to those who read this article—that they may share in the savings and baking success assured by the biggest selling and recognized superior baking powder it is no more than fair that I give publicity to the brand preferred alike by experts and America's millions of housewives—*Columbian Baking Powder*.

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NOTICE OF ELECTION

There will be an election held by the shareholders of the Rushville National Bank at their banking house at Rushville, Indiana, on TUESDAY, JANUARY 8th, 1918, between the hours of 10 o'clock, A.

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The Housewives Firing Line
How the American housewife, like the soldiers at the front, may help win the war on her own firing line in the kitchen by saving coal, is explained in a number of general precepts that have just been issued by the Bureau of Mines, Department of the Interior, and which ought to be tacked up in every home at least for the period of the war.
The Bureau of Mines gives the following military orders to the housewives:
Careless use of coal in kitchen very wasteful. Only a small part of the heat in the fuel may thus be usefully employed. Be sure the heat is doing what you want it to do rather than needlessly heating the chimney.
Buy coal mined as near home as possible, even if it requires a little more trouble, and learn to use it. This will lighten the load on transportation systems.
Buy a full wagon-load if you can. This saves labor and cost of delivery.
Be sure the smoke passages in the stove are clean. Keep them clean. If the scraper made for the purpose is lost, get another.
Reduce the hours of running the stove as much as possible.
Wireless cookers may help reduce the time of keeping a fire.
Running the range to heat tank water only is not economical. Be sparing of hot water in such cases.
Break the lumps of coal to sizes no larger than eggs.
When the stove must run some hours a full fire-box carefully controlled by dampers is more economical than fires so small that the grate is only partly covered.
With a big fire little air is needed over the coal as well as through it. If soft coal is used, allow just enough air to come through the damper over the first to make the flames so short they will not reach the second row of stove-lids.
Close the top draft damper when the flames get shorter than the first row of stove-lids.
When it is necessary to carry a fire over night, fill the fire-box with coal, cover over tightly with ashes and close all dampers. To start the fire, open the damper below the grate and the one in the stove pipe. Break up the coke in the firebox with a poker, rattling the ash into the ash box.
Save what coal and coke you can from the ashes and use when you have a good fire.
When the fire is well started, close the damper in the smoke pipe as much as you can to maintain the fire you need. Open this damper to prevent smoking while putting in fresh coal. Damper control is the secret of economical heating.

HOUSING SENDOFF IS GIVEN TEACHERS
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"Blank," "Wiley," "Cullipher," "Sexton" and "Woleott" were given with a new feeling and spirit as the young people put the enthusiasm for the young men who are leaving into the spirit of their yelling. C. E. Parke accompanied the Glee Club and John Norris lead the yelling.
"You boys are good sports," said Mr. Blank who answered for the teachers who are going away and the boys of the basketball teams stood up, "you have been good sports the year through and I know you will continue to be." He complimented the young men for their conduct through the year and wished them success. There was scarcely a dry eye in the assembly when the Girl's Glee Club finished singing "Keep the Home Fires Burning." The teachers leaving were presented with cases containing army conveniences by the teachers of the school. The basketball boys accompanied Mr. Blank to the train when he left this morning.
An original poem by Harold Perkins was read by Miss Blanche Raine honoring Mr. Blank and Mr. Wiley. The poem follows:
There Will be Two Vacant Chairs
We read in the papers of war and its crime
We listened to stories of war and its pranks
But they never affected us up to this time
But now, two teachers have joined the ranks.
We've heard how the trenches give them a cough;
We've heard how they suffer from the tanks;
We've heard how the Belgians had their ears cut off;
And now two teachers have joined the ranks.
They frequently go without food for days—
We know how the boches consider us Yanks
To shoot us, they'd go clear out of their ways,
And still, two teachers have joined the ranks.
Their work, these teachers gave up, in the school,
They drew all their money out of the banks,
They're going to fight in this war for you,
For they enlisted, last night, in the ranks.
One of these brave ones, taught science, Mr. Wiley,
The other bold one, taught history, Mr. Blank,
Today, their faces are both "sorta" smil-ey
Because, last night, they joined the ranks.
Extend to them then, our sincere wishes
And of the best, we hope, they'll fare
And may the Almighty guide and protect them
And keep them always under His care.

Today as they leave us, let us all wish them luck
And cheer them for doing this noble deed.
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But now we can only wish them, "God-speed."

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4. When putting on several shovels of coal in banking a fire for the night, leave a part of the fire exposed so that any gases from the coal will be consumed.
5. Before feeding a furnace see that the shut-off damper in the pipe is open and close the check damper.
6. Keep the ash pit empty. Ashes banked up under the grate prevent necessary air circulation, hinder combustion and tend to warp the grate bars.
7. If you are having any furnace trouble call

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distributed and the knitted articles be returned to a committee appointed for this purpose. The soldier boys, too, will receive boxes of food and barrels of fruit from the high school girls. A committee of girls, most of them from the country, who may find apples, nuts or other country produce that could be sent to the boys, has been appointed to take charge of this phase of the work.

Letters will be written to lonesome soldiers. Another committee will procure names of the lonely "Sam-mies" and see to it that they receive interesting letters frequently. Magazines may be turned in to another committee that will see they are shipped and sent to the front. The young men from the high school who have joined "The First Hundred Thousand," and will earn ten dollars for the Y. M. C. A. fund will be aided by another group of girls who will seek employment and report to the boys who want it to earn their pledge. For the soldiers who are sick and are in hospitals at the front, another group of girls will find entertainment for them in interesting books, puzzles and other things that may be contributed by the girls.

Conservation is not forgotten in the plans. The only definite plan made now for this work is that a box will be put in the corridors of the schools for all students to drop tinfoil into, which will be sold for the cause. Every other form of conservation will be suggested by the committee. The finance committee will see to it that funds are ready for all of these calls, to get postage for magazines and other things that are needed. The publicity committee will see to it that the organization gets the proper notice, although their work will speak for itself.

Members of the committees mentioned are as follows, with the first named girl acting as chairman of the committee: sewing, Kathryn Guffin, Loretta Talkington, Lettie Jordan, Lucile Roth, Edna Krammes; knitting, Libby Schatz, Cordelia Brown, Lena Vaughn, Vivian Elliott, Magdalene Arbuckle; food committee, Rena Offutt, Marjorie Hunt, Aileen Green, Marjorie Tinsworth, Marie Looney; correspondence, Helen Osborn, Gladys Leyden, Marjorie Thomas, Josephine Junkin, Kathryn Wooden; magazine, Laverne Davis; Frances Bunnell, Bertha Haywood, Margaret Ball, Norma Headlee; employment, Gladys Rebout, Mildred Oneal, Ruby Sparks, Gladys Chadwick, Florence Fleehart; amusement, Helen Dugan, Lois

Reeve, Kathryn Wyatt, Lora Spurrier, Lavienna Compton; publicity, Mary Ellen Hughes, Dorothy Easley, Loretta Coyne, Margaret Coaling, Vivian Rebout; conservation, Margaret Mahin, Marian Carney, Lillian Priest, Marguerite Kelly; finance, Frances Lyons, Norma Geraghty, Stella Offutt, Mary Louise Miller, Frances Bowen.

The services for the St. Paul's Methodist Episcopal church for Sunday are: Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. The pastor, the Rev. Clyde S. Black will administer the Sacrament of the Lord's supper at 10:30. Epworth League at 6:00 p. m. at which time there will be a reception for the new members. Evening service at 7:00 with the theme of the sermon, "The Best Religion." Prayer meeting Thursday evening at 7:30. Everyone is cordially invited to worship in all of the services of the church.

Services at the First Presbyterian church Sunday will be as follows: "Quiet Hour," 7 a. m.; Bible school, 9:30; Divine worship, 10:30 with sermon by Dr. M. A. Kelley of Richmond, secretary of Indiana Armenian and Syrian relief on the subject, "The Present Crisis in Bible Lands." There will be no evening service on account of the absence of the pastor, Dr. D. Ira Lambert.

First Baptist church, C. J. Bunnell, pastor, residence 612 North Morgan street, phone 1911: Sunday school, 9:30; public worship, 10:45 a. m. and 7:00 p. m.; subject for the morning sermon, "The Value of God's Word;" theme for the evening sermon, "A Day's Journey." The mid-week prayer service will be held on Thursday evening. The general public is invited to all services.

The Sunday services at the United Presbyterian church are: Sunday school at 9:30; preaching at 10:45; Young People's meeting at 6:00 and evening service at 7:00. Congregational prayer meeting, Thursday evening at 7:30.

The services for the United Presbyterian church at Glenwood, are: Sunday school at 1:30 and preaching at 2:15.

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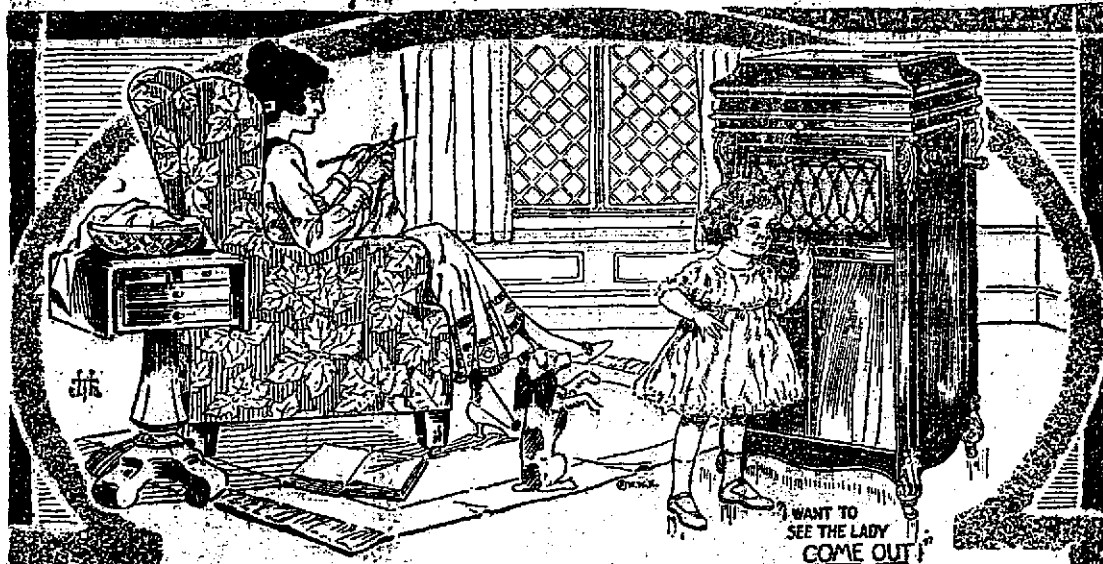
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The Christian Woman's Board of Missions held its regular meeting yesterday afternoon in the parlors of the Christian church with about sixty-five members in attendance. The intensely interesting program which was carried out was: Bible Study, Mrs. Leon Stevens: "Africa—The Continent; The People," Mrs. John Martin; Music, Mrs. Carl Behner and Hidden Answers, Mrs. Will Abernethy. Light refreshments were served as a conclusion to the meeting.

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Mrs. Bert Mullin was hostess to twenty-five members of the Emanon club and a number of guests yesterday afternoon at her home in North Perkins street. After the pleasant hours spent with knitting, a salad course was served. This was the last meeting of the year and the first meeting after the holidays will be held with Mrs. Walter Pearce.

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Miss Cora Winship entertained about fourteen members of the Friday Afternoon Embroidery club yesterday afternoon at her home in East Fifth street. The delightful hours were whiled away over knitt-

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ing, and a salad course was served by the hostess. Miss Mary Amos will be hostess to the club in three weeks.

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The eight members of the Thursday Afternoon Bridge club and one guest were entertained by Mrs. Ben Humes yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. O. E. Hume in North Harrison street. The hostess served dainty refreshments. Miss Helen Seudder will entertain the club next Thursday afternoon.

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Miss Alice Norris entertained a number of ladies this afternoon at her home in North Harrison street, with a knitting party complimentary to Mrs. Siddle Mowers, who will

You'll like it. What? The meeting at the Methodist church tonight. 22911.

leave soon to spend the winter in the south. A tempting luncheon was served by the hostess.

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The ladies of the Catholic Aid society were entertained yesterday afternoon by Mrs. Thomas Kirk at her home in West Third street, when the assistant hostess was Mrs. John Keating. A business session was held in the fore part of the afternoon and then the guests were entertained with euchre, Mrs. William Fitzgerald and Mrs. Lote Carter, winning the pretty prizes. Refreshments were served by the hostesses.

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All of the members but one of the Priscilla Art club and five guests, Mrs. Russell Baker of Raleigh, Miss Beulah Lucas of Oucay, Okla., Mrs. Walthers of Glenwood, Miss Bertha Baker of Raleigh and Miss Kiser of Gings were entertained by Miss Doris Saxon yesterday at her home in Falmouth. The affair was in the form of a pitch-in dinner. Pretty shades of chrysanthemums brightened the home for the occasion. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Chester Saxon of Falmouth in two

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Miss Leota Mull entertained seventeen members of the Always Present class of the Christian church at her home in West Second street last evening. The girls discussed plans for making money and several other business matters were brought up for decision. Dainty refreshments were served by the hostess.

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Miss Kathryn Guffin goes to Crawfordsville this evening where she will attend a houseparty at the Beta Theta Pi house as the guest of Alfred Norris. He will accompany her home tomorrow evening.

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The Ladies Musicales will be held in the assembly room of the court house, Monday afternoon, with Mrs. Joe Clark and Mrs. Ralph Miles as leaders.

RED CROSS NOTES

A desk is badly needed at the Red Cross headquarters. A roll top desk or any kind that could be used in a business office would answer the purpose. Every other call for needed supplies in the headquarters has been answered promptly and it is hoped that someone who has a desk not in use will loan one temporarily to the women. Sewing machines and everything else that have been needed have been gladly loaned and any man having a desk can aid the Red Cross in a practical way by loaning it at this time.

It is thought that about \$57 will be cleared from the Red Cross Benefit concert given on Wednesday evening by Miss Rosemary Pfaff. About \$93 was taken in and the expenses will be practically \$36. All over this will go into the treasury of the Red Cross Society.

Amusements

The love of Evelyn Nesbit, former wife of Harry K. Thaw whose murder trial attracted the attention of the whole country, is the theme running through "Redemption," the picture which will be shown at the Princess theater tonight and in which Evelyn Nesbit herself will appear. The film tells the story of this woman's life with unrelenting truthfulness. Ruth King and Jack Gardner will appear in "Open Places," tomorrow night and there will also be a comedy, "Footlights and Fakers."

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FOR SALE—used sewing machines. A number of machines taken in trade on the Singer; various makes and models; prices from \$5.00 up. Terms as low as \$1.00 a week. L. E. Ging at Abercrombie Jewelry Store. 228tf

FOR SALE—black Langshan cockrels. Mrs. J. T. Reed, Orange phone, Route 1, Glenwood, Ind. 228f2

FOR SALE—Buff Orpington cockrels. Mrs. Robert Holt, Route 8. 226f5

FOR SALE—DeLaval separator, good as new. Phone 1654. 225tf6

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Interstate Commerce Commission Would Investigate Their Political Activities—Annual Report

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(By United Press.)

Washington, Dec. 7.—Additional power to investigate the political activities of railroads is asked by the Interstate Commerce Commission in its annual report, submitted to Congress today.

A recent decision of the supreme court permits it to demand the exact details of "legal expenses" "operating expenditures at direction of the president" and similar accounting terms which often cover campaign contributions, lobbying funds, etc.

The commission seeks now the right of access to the complete correspondence files of all railroads. Congressional action is necessary. With these powers, it is understood, the commission intends a thorough searching of alleged scandals. One—that of the Louisville & Nashville—has been announced. Other recommendations are:

All steel passenger trains. Safety and operating rules of all railroads to be standardized.

Supervision against watering of railroad stock.

Laws prohibiting trespass of roads' right of way.

Suggestions that the Interstate Commerce Commission become sole regulating body in the country, taking over the powers of 48 state separate state commissions, is met with a counter-proposal of cooperation.

"Transportation conditions have been abnormal" said the commission, "but the essential needs of the country have been taken care of."

"Owing to the demand on car and locomotive plants for war work, it is impossible for them to do much more than replace equipment worn out in service in the United States. It is apparent the solution of the war problem lies in the maximum of service from those already existing."

The commission estimates its work of learning the actual physical values of roads will be finished by 1920. This task has been undertaken at the behest of government ownership advocates who wish to use the figures as a basis of payment to the railroads. No other reference to government ownership, direct or indirect, was made.

The country, the report declared, was fortunate to enter the war in spring. Had the tremendous volume of added traffic come in the fall or winter season, congested seasons at best, preparations would have been delayed far more than they were.

Due to increased inspection, it is declared the railroads "have greatly improved" their accounting methods, so that "any unwholesome finance, artificial returns or rate manipulations" are more difficult to accomplish.

Only 16,000 miles of new road have been built in the last five years. Freight rates have been reduced from \$0.075 a ton-mile in the same period to \$0.071.

In 54 collisions and 26 derailments, 176 were killed and 327 were injured—the best record in recent years. A great majority of the collisions occurred on roads not protected by the block system. Eight were due to failure of engineers to heed signals.

County News

Union Township

Mr. and Mrs. Albert McConnell and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Bert Benson and family and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wycoff and family of Indianapolis Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Richardson and family of Cambridge City, and Miss Carrie Morris spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Leslie K. Morris.

Mr. and Mrs. Joel Carson, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Eskew, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Foster and the Rev. Mr. Rogers were entertained Sunday

INDIANA MEN AT RESERVE MEETING

Work Which the State Council of Defense Undertakes Among Boys Proves Success

SESSIONS HELD IN CHICAGO

(By United Press.)

Indianapolis, Ind. Dec. 7.—A score of Indiana men were in Chicago today attending the National Boy's Working reserve. The work, which was undertaken in Indiana by the States Council of Defense, has met with great success in the state.

The following men were appointed to represent Indiana at the meeting: I. D. Strauss, C. E. Fritsome, A. K. Babcock, George A. Ball, S. O. Betzer, L. B. Clure, J. G. Collicott, Joseph M. Cravens, William P. Hapgood, Fred Munting, Clarence Kessinger, Sol Kiser, W. H. Latta, Rev. George MacIntosh, Martin Morrison, Mr. Horace Ellis, E. E. Stacey, Dr. Carl Stolz, Frank Wilson, William A. Wirt, G. I. Christie and E. U. Graff.

day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Eskew.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Baker, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Elwell, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Logan, Mr. and Mrs. Burl Finckman and Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Vickery were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Martin and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Logan and son William spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. George Billings and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Bell and family of Indianapolis spent a few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Joseph M. Bell and Mrs. Mary Nixon.

Merrill Wilson, Harry Kirkham and Parker Wiley and the Misses Jennie Henry, Hazel Wilson and Helen Wilson were the guests of Miss Leila Wilson Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Clifton and daughter and Emma and Byron Benson took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. William Bell and family Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. George Ertel were also guests in the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Price of Rushville, and William Price and son Jerold of Connersville spent Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. William Foley and family.

Mrs. H. S. Bell is sick with an attack of grippe.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wiley spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Chester Hall. The Young People's Married class met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Gordon, last Saturday evening. The evening was spent with music and a contest was introduced, with Mrs. Roy Wiley as winner. A supper consisting of sandwiches, pickles, salad, escalloped oysters and coffee was served. The class will meet again in two weeks with Mr. and Mrs. George Billings. Mr. and Mrs. Orville Brooks were among the guests.

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Sergt. Arthur Guy Empey's Third Great War Story in

The Indianapolis Sunday Star, Dec. 9th

The famous author of "Over the Top" tells how he and another American taught the Tommies to play baseball. They started a game with the Canadians and then—but you will have to read it.

OTHER GREAT WAR FEATURES IN THE SUNDAY STAR WILL BE:

An article on the work of the American balloon observers by a captain of the aviation corps.

Edward S. VanZile, now in Europe for The Star, writes on "The World Game of 'I Spy.'"

James B. Morrow tells how Hoover is working to bring down high prices of food.

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Take out membership for yourself, your wife and the children. You can enroll for an employee or a friend, a society or a charity.

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If you make your deposits regularly you will also get interest. Write or Call For Full Particulars—Join Now—Everybody Welcome

The
**Peoples Loan and Trust
Company**
RUSHVILLE, INDIANA
The Home For Savings

CHRISTMAS CLUB CHECK BARGAINS

MAKE THE WHOLE FAMILY HAPPY
Use Your Xmas Savings and Buy an

EDISON Diamond Disc PHONOGRAPH

THE MONEY YOU HAVE SAVED during the year put into an instrument which will furnish enjoyment for the whole family the whole year and years to come

A PERMANENT XMAS PRESENT



Mr. Edison has through his untiring efforts succeeded in perfecting an instrument equal to the human voice and to the sound of instruments.

OUR STOCK IS LIMITED AND WE WOULD LIKE
YOUR XMAS ORDER AT ONCE.

Hargrove & Mullin

Spend CHRISTMAS your SAVINGS

War Time
Prices

Call for

Extra Values



Seeing the rise in prices of all commodities was inevitable, we determined, in buying our supply of Holiday Goods, to comb the market for the very best quality merchandise in all lines.

Let Your Christmas Savings
Check Buy Something Useful

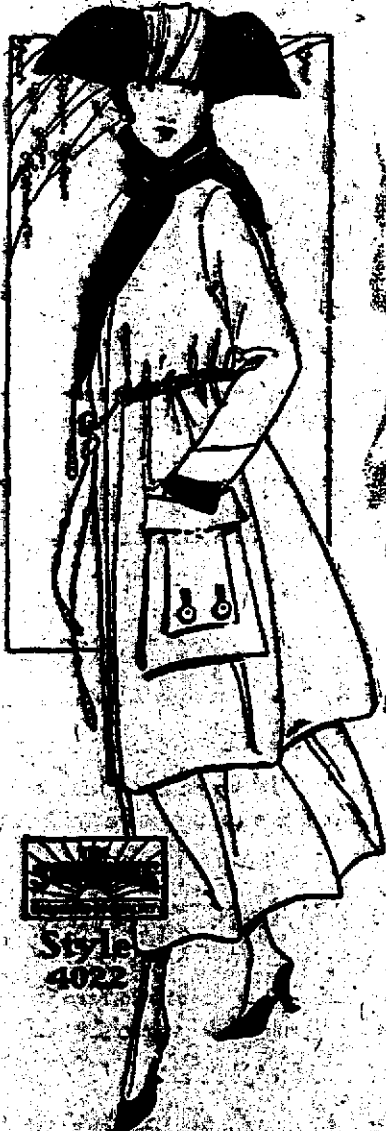
We assert with confidence that no more high class lines of useful Xmas goods were ever brought to Rushville. If you want to stretch your dollars to the very limit of their purchasing power come to us.

THE STORE "CHUCK" FULL WITH
USEFUL CHRISTMAS SUGGESTIONS

E. R. CASADY

Spend Your Christmas Money with Home Merchants and Make It a Home Chri

Your Christmas Club
Checks will go furthest
at this Store



Your Christmas
Club Checks
Desired Here

We congratulate you upon the thrift and earnest toil your check represents.

Should it be your purpose to use all or any part of your check in the purchase of merchandise of the character shown by us, we will be greatly pleased to serve you.

Our stock of Ladies' Misses' and Children's Ready-to-Wear—Dry Goods and Accessories—Floor Coverings and Draperies is larger and more comprehensive than ever.

COME — LET US BE
OF SERVICE TO YOU

Guffin Dry Goods Company

Cash your Christmas
Club Checks at the
Value Giving Store

Why Spend Your
Savings Foolishly?

WHEN YOU CAN BUY

SUITS for	\$18.00 to \$60.00
OVERCOATS for	\$18.00 to \$160.00
HATS for only	\$2.00 to \$3.00
HOSIERY for	25c, 50c and \$1.00
GLOVES for	50c to \$4.50
TIES for	50c, 75c, \$1.00 and \$1.50
SCARFS for	\$1.00 to \$4.00
SWEATERS for	\$4.00 to \$15.00
SHIRTS for	50c to \$7.00
HOUSE COATS for	\$4.00 to \$10.00
BATH and LOUNGING ROBES	\$5.00 to \$9.00
CIGARS—boxes of 50 or 25—for	\$1.00 to \$4.50
CIGARETTES—boxes of 10, 20, 100—for	5c to \$1.25
CIGARETTE CASES for	50c to \$3.00
PIPES for	40c, 25c, 50c, \$1.00 to \$7.50
Tobacco—per pound Humidor for	\$1.50
Vassar's Underwear	\$2.00 to \$8.50

Everything Boxed and Wrapped in Our Specially Designed Boxes and Crepe Tissue Paper.

AT THE

Humes-Buell Shop

Tailors-Furnishers

The Store For Ideal Xmas Presents

TO THOSE WE KNOW
MERRY XMAS
AND THOSE WHO KNOW US

CHRISTMAS

JEWELRY

You just simply can't think of the one without thinking of the other.

They go together as naturally as the sun with the day or the moon with the night.

We have a tasteful, well selected stock of Watches, Clocks, Jewelry, Cut Glass and General Silverware.

You can find in this collection suitable presents for all your family and friends.

Also we have an extra fine line of Pearl Beads at prices from \$2.50 to \$50.00.

**Wm. B. Poe
& Son**

Jewelers

Phone 1336

N. Main



CHRISTMAS SAVING CLUB CHECK?

Are Offering Special Inducements for the Merry Yuletide Season

LET US CASH YOUR CHRISTMAS CLUB CHECKS FOR YOU

Gift Seekers Can Shop Here
In Comfort and
Convenience

EARLY SHOPPING HELPS EVERYONE

How much nicer it is to select that Xmas present now while our stock is complete than to wait until so many people have taken advantage of the good early "pickings." You are better satisfied in that you can get what you wish and it helps the merchant also.

By Way of Suggestion

Select that Suit, Overcoat, Hat, Traveling Bag, Necktie, Shirt, Gloves, Hosiery, Handkerchiefs, Collars, Mufflers, Indian Suits, Scarfs, Underwear—in fact, anything for the Men, Soldiers, and Boys in your family NOW.

KNECHT'S
O. P. C. H.

Let Us Explain "Our Ford Plan"

WE MAKE YOUR
Christmas Club Checks
BUY MORE



This store's displays are the happiest solution of the Christmas buying problems. Not alone because of their unusual attractiveness, but because of their comprehensiveness, do they merit your attention. This is to be a practical Christmas—we have made our selections of gift items accordingly. Our prices you will find most reasonable, quality considered.

See What Good Use You
Can Make of Your
Christmas Check

CHOOSE FROM THESE—

Silk Hosiery	Cut Glass	Furs
French Ivory	Fancy Baskets	Aprons
Shoes	Ladies' Dresses	Red Middies
Toilet Water	Sweaters	Prunks
Fancy Towels	Umbrellas	Book Rocks
Embroidered Pieces	Hand Purses	Silk Vests
Table Linens	Traveling Luggage	Neckwear
Table Silver	House Dresses	Nightwear
Ladies' Suits	Silk Petticoats	Rugs
Scarfs	Sewing Machines	Silk Dress Patterns
Brush-Sets	Bed Room Slippers	Ladies' Coats
Corsets	Perfumes	Children's Dresses
Shirts	Baby Blankets	Bath Robes
Handkerchiefs	Silk Lingerie	Jewelry
Electric Cleaners	Shaving Sets	Vacuum Sweepers
Boys' Boots	Sheffield Silver	Brassieres
Gloves	Children's Coats	Waists
Wool Blankets	Kimonos	Toques
Bed Spreads	Rain Coats	Carpet Sweepers
	Soldier's Gifts	

The Mauzy Co.

CHRISTMAS BANKING CLUB JOIN IT AND YOU GET A BANK BOOK

2¢ WILL START YOU

IN 50 WEEKS YOU WILL HAVE \$25.50

COME IN, BOYS AND GIRLS, AND ASK ABOUT IT

OUR CHRISTMAS BANKING CLUB IS TO MAKE IT EASY FOR THOSE OF SMALL MEANS TO START A BANK ACCOUNT. CHILDREN ARE ESPECIALLY INVITED TO JOIN. THE CLUBS ARE ARRANGED TO FIT THEIR ABILITY TO PAY. 1 CENT, 2 CENTS, 5 CENTS AND 10 CENTS, OR 50 CENTS, \$1.00, \$5.00 OR ANY CLUB THAT IS DESIRED.

IN 50 WEEKS:

10-CENT CLUB PAYS	\$127.50
5-CENT CLUB PAYS	63.75
2-CENT CLUB PAYS	25.50
1-CENT CLUB PAYS	12.75

MAKE THE LARGEST PAYMENT FIRST AND DECREASE YOUR PAYMENTS EACH WEEK. THIS IS A VERY POPULAR WAY.

PUT YOUR CHILDREN INTO THE CLUB. JOIN YOURSELF.

WE ADD 3 PER CENT INTEREST.

Rush County National Bank

as for Home Folks. That's the Most Satisfactory Yuletide Season for Anyone.

Add to the value of your
Christmas Club Check
by cashing it here

BODINE'S
NEW ERA

Sign — Big Red Boot

CHRISTMAS FOOTWEAR

Shown in Season's Favorites
Prices will please your purse.

Economy these war times denotes wisdom

Fireside Slippers and Rubbers for All

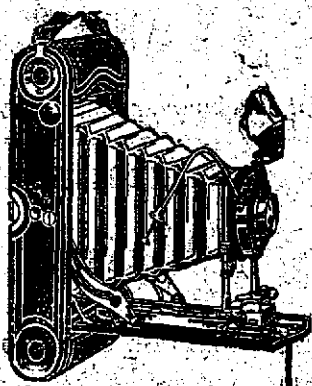
OR LADIES—
Union Shoes — Dorothy Dodd — Leach Negligee
OR MEN—
Keith Konquerer — Dry Sox — Munson Army Shoe
OR CHILDREN—
Educators

A CHRISTMAS WELCOME

BODINE'S
BOOT SHOP

Bring your
CHRISTMAS CLUB
CHECKS here

USEFUL GIFTS



That will be
APPRECIATED

KODAKS, PREMOS,
BROWNIES \$1.75 to \$30.00
A large variety at less than \$8.00
to select from.
An album for your Snap
Shots 25c to \$2.00
Who wouldn't be pleased with an
EASTMAN.

FOUNTAIN PENS — Water-
man, John Holland or
Rexall \$1.00 to \$6.00

FRENCH IVORY GOODS — Mirrors, hair, clothes and hat
brushes; powder boxes; hair receivers; jewel boxes;
bud vases; tooth brush holders, etc. 25c to \$6.00

COMB, BRUSH, MIRROR SETS—Good ones \$2.00 to \$12.00

THERMOS and VACUUM BOTTLES—will stay hot or
cold for days \$1.50 to \$6.00

RAZORS—Safety and Old Style Straight Blades 97c to \$6.00

MANICURE INSTRUMENTS—In cases and separate
pieces. Large variety 10c to \$8.00

STATIONERY—Fine box paper and correspondence cards.
White or tints 25c to \$1.00

FINE BOX CANDIES—No Xmas complete without it. Liggett's
and Morse's Chocolates, Miss Holladay's Celebrated
Home-Made Chocolates from Paris, Kentucky 35c to \$3.50

CIGARS IN XMAS BOXES—12 to 100 in box 60c to \$10.00

French Briar Pipes, Amber Bits, in cases \$1.00 and \$1.50

POCKET BOOKS and BILL FOLDS 25c to \$3.00

PERFUMES and TOILET WATERS—Large assortment of all
the popular makes, both imported and domestic. Mary, Catzen,
Houbigant's, Jontel, Piver's, Djer Kiss, Mavis, Fludant's,
Palmer's, Colgate's

XMAS CARDS and BOOKLETS—All prices

PITMAN & WILSON

PROMPT DELIVERY

PHONE 1038

Your Money Back If You Want It

Spend it here
Your Christmas Dough
so much further
it will go.

This Is Another

**Jewelry
Christmas**

Gold is the standard metal of our country
which keeps gold at the same market price.
Therefore you can purchase gold jewelry
at practically the same price.

Our line of jewelry is complete in every
detail.

For that soldier boy, nothing holds the
memories of mother, sweetheart or friends
as a gold ring or wrist watch or anything in
the jewelry line and there is not a more
perpetual keepsake than good jewelry.

**Abercrombie
Bros.**
Jewelers

Reo

Here's a Rich Man's Car At a Prudent Man's Price

MANY MILLIONAIRES—using that much abused word in the popular sense—are seen driving this Reo model.

BUT THAT DOESN'T INDICATE that it is within the reach of only the rich.

ON THE CONTRARY the price is well within the reach of any professional or business man who prefers, on most occasions, to hold the wheel himself.

IT SEATS FOUR comfortably. The driver's seat is placed several inches in advance of the main passenger's seat—the latter accommodates two liberally, luxuriously.

THIS ARRANGEMENT makes this an ideal Coupe or Roadster, from the standpoint of the owner-driver. He has elbow room. His movements are not hampered, nor his vision obscured in any direction.

FOR EMERGENCIES when there are four in the party, the extra one finds the auxiliary seat is the most comfortable in the car. This, when not in use, folds unobtrusively under the cowl.

MANY LADIES of social prominence and financially able to pay any price for a car, drive this Reo Six also. In fact it is much in vogue among them.

THE SWEET RUNNING silent, Reo Six motor runs month in and month out with never a moment's attention from the owner—just oil and gasoline and water.

BEING REO MADE it goes without saying that the upkeep is low, and the dependability is absolute, almost.

TOP IS DEMOUNTABLE—That is to say, you may, if you choose, remove the solid roof and replace with an ordinary cloth top.

BUT YOU'LL FIND that the better way is to use it just as shown all the year 'round. Or, if you prefer, remove the glass panels and store away during the sultry summer season and replace when cold weather comes again.

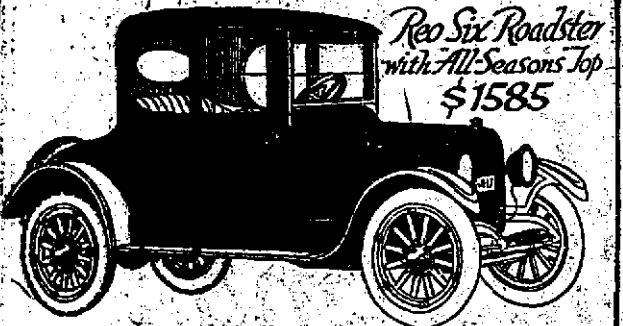
THAT GIVES YOU an open roadster with protecting top for summer and a cozy coupe for cold weather.

PRICE IS \$1585 and freight from the Reo factory, Lansing, Mich.

YOUR ORDER should be in at once, however, as the supply wasn't nearly sufficient to fill the demand last year and indications are that the shortage will be still greater in proportion this fall.

THE BUSSARD GARAGE
Phone 1425

Reo Motor Car Company, Lansing, Mich.
(106-30)
Price is f. o. b. Lansing and is subject to increase without notice.



THE GOLD STANDARD OF VALUES

TO MARK CREEL'S FIRST APPEARANCE

Indiana War Conference Next Week Will Be Addressed By The Federal News Censor

MANY FROM HERE ARE GOING

Practically Every War Activity Will Be Represented—Vice-President to Speak

Indianapolis, Ind., Dec. 5.—Geo. Creel, chairman of the Committee on Public Information, who will be one of the stellar attractions at the state-wide war conference in Indianapolis December 13 and 14, is believed to be closer to President Woodrow Wilson in matters pertaining to the war with Germany than any other man available for an address here on this occasion. Mr. Creel was associated with President Wilson's pre-election campaign and has been personally intimate with the chief executive for years.

In addition to the personal message that Mr. Creel will probably bring from the white house, the Indianapolis address will be distinctive for the reason that this will be his first public appearance since the voluntary censorship of news reports from the fighting front and from the allies have become effective. It is believed that newspapers from all over the United States will focus their attention on what he says here, as the first official declaration of policy that will obtain for the period of the war.

The Creel reception will include a luncheon to which every editor in the state is invited, short talks by George Ade, chairman of the Indiana State Council of Defense's publicity committee; Edgar A. Guest, of the Detroit Free Press; Henry B. Wilson, President of the Democratic State Editorial Association; and Republican State Editorial Association.

The mass meeting on the afternoon of December 13 will be featured by addresses by Bishop Chas. D. Williams, of Detroit, who has just returned from a special trip to the French front for the Red Cross, Lieutenant Paul Perigord, of the French army, a very entertaining speaker who is on leave due to wounds.

Definite announcement as to the principal speaker at the night mass meeting in Tomlinson hall, December 13, was expected late today from Washington, where efforts have been made to secure a member of President Wilson's war cabinet, in addition to a representative of the Council of National Defense, vice-president Marshall will speak the night of December 13, it was announced today.

Many persons from this county will attend the war conference. An effort is being made by the County Council of Defense to have every war activity in the county represented. All people who feel they can are urged to go, whether or not they have been identified with any war movement.

JAMES BORDERS INDICTED

Gwynneville. Man is Arrested For Shooting Neighbor, Will Bogue

James Borders of Gwynneville was arrested yesterday on an indictment returned by the Shelby county grand jury charging shooting with intent to kill William Bogue, a neighbor. Mystery surrounds the shooting of Bogue. It occurred early one morning a few weeks ago, as Bogue was leaving his home in Gwynneville. He has been at liberty on \$1,000 bond since the shooting. Bogue is still in a serious condition and is said not to be out of danger.

Fresh bulk oysters, 80c a quart. Home made mince meat, 15c pound. 2 bunches celery, 5c. Neutzelhizer Grocery. 22913.

Your friends can buy anything but your photograph. Sit now. Wallace, photographer. 22816.

Remember the exchange at Kramers meat market, Saturday, held by the United Presbyterian women.

SLACKERS ARE CAUGHT BY NEW DRAFT RULES

Men Who Failed to Register Will be Placed at Top of First Increment For Call

MORE STRINGENT THAN BEFORE

With the first enforcement of the new draft rules, effective December 15, men convicted of failure to register on June 5, last, will be dealt with more severely than under the old system.

Provost Marshal General Crowder has announced that such men, instead of being given jail sentences, as has been done before, in many cases, will be so listed by the local

PIMPPLY? WELL, DON'T BE!

People Notice It. Drive Them Off with Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets

A pimply face will not embarrass you much longer if you get a package of Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets. The skin should begin to clear after you have taken the tablets a few nights.

Cleanse the blood, the bowels and the liver with Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets, the successful substitute for calomel; there's never any sickness or pain after taking them. Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets do that which calomel does, and just as effectively, but their action is gentle and safe instead of severe and irritating.

No one who takes Olive Tablets is ever cursed with "a dark brown taste," a bad breath, a dull, listless, "no good" feeling, constipation, torpid liver, bad disposition or pimply face.

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets are a purely vegetable compound mixed with olive oil; you will know them by their olive color.

Dr. Edwards spent years among patients afflicted with liver and bowel complaints, and Olive Tablets are the immensely effective result.

Take one or two nightly for a week. See how much better you feel and look. 10c and 25c per box. All druggists.

selection boards, as to insure their call with the first increment summoned after the new rules are put in force.

Local boards are instructed to send the registration cards of these convicted men to the state adjutant general for serial number assignment, but to place them at the top of the first increment liable for call. Thus they forfeit all chances of the master list rotation, except where physical conditions under the terms of the law require exemption. Men now under suspended sentence for failing to register also will be listed at the top of the first call.

WANT ADS BRING RESULTS

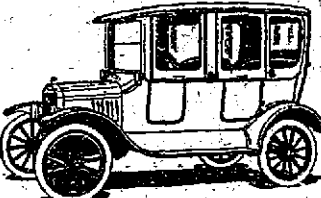
CROUP
Spasmodic croup is usually relieved with one application of—
VICKS VAPORUB

FEED
National Hog Powder

to your hogs and have better success in the hog business. Made only by National Live Stock Remedy Co., Chicago, and sold here by

James H. Tarplee
Rushville, Ind.

Detroit Waterproof Detachable Tops



They are designed to afford motoring comfort in Winter as well as Fall and Summer.

They transform your Ford in a few brief seconds to a warm—absolutely storm-tight from windshield to rear window—brilliantly lighted limousine.

For the Ford driver who has considered winter driving a hardship rather than a pleasure, this patented all-weather top will be most acceptable as it eliminates instantly all his former hardships.

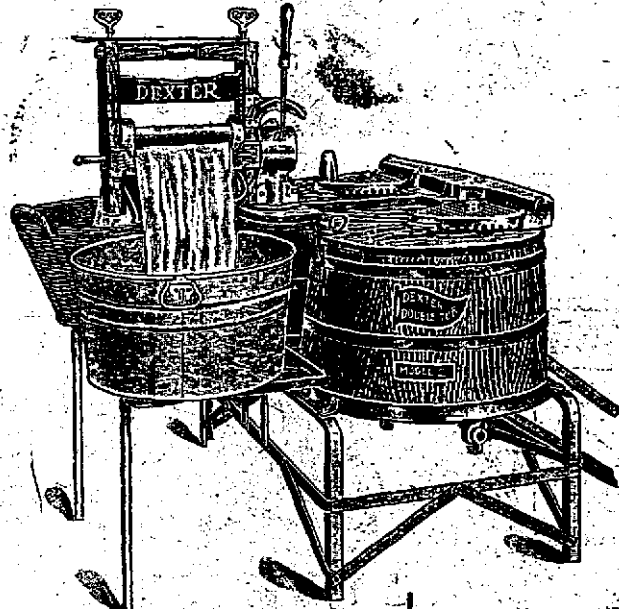
No bothersome side curtains to adjust in the biting cold or blinding snowstorms. The waterproof top becomes an integral part of your Ford at a very reasonable cost.

Price Complete — \$87.50

Wm. E. Bowen Garage

306 North Main Street.

The Dexter Double Tub



Cuts Washing Time In Two

It does the washing, wringing and rinsing by power—all at the same time. No time lost in waiting. The clothes get their first washing in the warm suds of tub No. 1—then right into the hot suds of tub No. 2 for their second washing; are next wrung into the rinse tub on the folding shelf—then wrung into the bluing tub and finally into the clothes basket.

Come and let us explain the many exclusive features to you fully.

Gunn Haydon

Our New Cash-Carry Plan

Owing to the food situation we are going to change our plan of doing business. On and after Dec. 10, 1917, our terms will be

STRICTLY CASH AND NO DELIVERY

We feel that with the elimination of our delivery system and selling for STRICTLY CASH we can give the public a much better price on food stuff.

The Government has requested the utmost efforts on our part toward reducing the cost of delivering merchandise. Your patriotism, we know, will encourage your co-operation in assisting us to comply with the request. You will agree that every store operating a delivery system of any kind is an extra expense which the public pays.

"IT PAYS TO CARRY IT HOME"

This co-operation will help greatly toward a saving and will result in lower price to you, as our method of selling goods is based entirely on the cost of merchandise, plus expense and reasonable profit. Therefore we say

The Lower the Expense—the Lower the Cost to You!

O'Neal Cash Grocery
628 N. Sexton Street

We Are Laying Away Christmas Gifts

In Watch Bracelets, Lavelieres, Rings, Diamond Rings, Brooches, Silverware, Clocks and China

For a small deposit we will hold any article in stock until Saturday Night, December 22

KENNARD'S
NO PLATED OR FILLED RINGS IN STOCK

5-12% Farm Loans
NO COMMISSION
Farmers Trust Co.